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TUESDAY, MAY 1, 1866.

THE Conservatives are having a bad time of it. The *Nord*, the Russian organ at Brussels, published a telegram from St. Petersburg, of the 22d ultimo, announcing the abolition of slavery in Tashken, capital of the new Russian province of Toorkistan, at the request of the Emperor Alexander II. All the slaves, mostly Persian by birth, have been liberated and the new power of the Czar in these remote Asiatic provinces has thus been inaugurated with the blessings of liberty. This event is not of great importance to the civilization of this province, but is auspicious for Russian domination in the east generally. As the Muscovite troops now advance towards the mountains of Thibet and the strongholds of Hindoostan, they will be hailed as liberators of, the masses of those empires. Freedom becomes not only Russia's highest claims of affection upon her new Asiatic subjects, but also the safest principle for the extension of her power.

THE Norfolk *Old Dominion* sharply rebukes the Northern Democratic journals who abuse Congress and clamor for Southern representation: "The people of Virginia are to-day in the enjoyment of more freedom than they have possessed *since the spring* of 1861. Every man can go about his business, make money, enjoy the fruits of his labor, rest secure in his house, express his opinion, vote as often and as early as ever, and read what newspaper he chooses to buy. We do not really see that we are ground down to the dust by the tyranny of anybody; or that we lead the lives of slaves. True, we have not got anybody in Congress to vote for us—*but we have not had any one there since our Representatives took up their hats and left the capitol* in 1862.'"

IT is confidently predicted that Mr. SUMNER is the only radical in either House who will oppose the Congressional plan of reconstruction. We do not believe he will oppose. He may desire more than this scheme provides; but we think, so far as it goes, he concurs in it.

THE telegraph gives indications that the President and Congress are likely to harmonize on the plan of reconstruction reported by the Committee to the House of Representatives. "It is a consummation most devoutly to be wished."

THE people of East Tennessee are moving with great energy and unanimity for the purpose of securing a separation from West Tennessee, and the organization of a new State government.

TO-DAY, PROBST, the murderer of the DEARING family at Philadelphia, will be called up for sentence. Seldom has a criminal excited less sympathy than this miserable wretch.

THE CONTESTANTS for the United States Senatorship from Connecticut are, the present incumbent, Mr. Foster, Governor Buckingham, and General O. S. Ferry.

IN Michigan, in twenty-six counties heard from, the Republicans have made a net gain of seventeen supervisors. That does not lood like disintegration.

The County Superintendency.

SEWICKLEY, April 28, 1866.

EDITORS GAZETTE:—"A Friend of Peace and Progress," in last Monday's *Gazette*, wishes to promote the cause of harmony, in the matter of the County Superintendency, by advising that we yield with becoming humility to the sowers of discord, and oust Mr. Douthett, to save trouble. On this principle Mr. Lincoln ought to have been hung to please the rebels at the outbreak of the rebellion, and all blood and treason saved. *I think not.* Nor do we propose to yield in this matter. The great majority of good teachers and intelligent directors endorse Mr. D. heartily. His qualifications for the office may not be *seraphic* or even *angelic*. He simply does his duty, so far as he is able, and his efforts compare favorably with those of other superintendents. His examinations are fair and sufficiently severe to prevent most unqualified persons from obtaining certificates. Our best colleges graduate some fools, and a few of that class slip through even a rigid examination. He is not too severe, nor commonly unpopular, "leading educators" to the contrary. They do wrong in trying to force their unqualified graduates into our schools. Mr. D. is right in this matter, as the public will soon testify.

This is the view of a
FRIEND OF FAIR PLAY AND RIGHT-DOING.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—There appeared in the *Dispatch* of Saturday, an article purporting to have been written by Mr. Gourley of the Third ward. In it he makes personal allusion to me, evidently designed to weaken my reputation as a teacher. Himself, one of the mushroom type, suddenly elevated to his present position by a train of fortuitous circumstances, rather than by virtue of excellent powers or qualities, is pleased to attack, in most unmanly style, one, whose reputation is based upon a successful experience of seventeen years. Mr. G. informs the public that I left the profession for a time, and insinuates that I lacked the ability to succeed, and was compelled to return to that profession for which alone I was qualified. The public *know* that I engaged in mercantile business, and they *know* too, that I was successful in it; but, that, however profitable it promised to be, it was not sufficiently congenial, and that I very soon returned to a position of honor, where my labors are appreciated, and from whence a large number of efficient teachers have graduated, doing honor to their instructor, honoring the profession, and securing favor for themselves. Now Mr. G. gives me credit for having the courage necessary to branch out into an entirely new field of action, while his own heart failed him; for it is well known that but a short time ago he had actually resolved and declared his purpose to enter a Theological Seminary, but not possessing the vim to carry him through, found that he must confine himself strictly to the humble calling which you behold him pursuing to-day; and it is fondly hoped he may yet be able to attain, at least, a fair reputation as an instructor of children. As a specimen of progress, we refer you to his effort of Saturday, as recorded in the *Daily Dispatch*, where you will notice style of composition, &c.

T. E. WAKEHAM,
Principal Fourth Ward School, Allegheny.

EDITORS GAZETTE:—An article appeared in the *Evening Chronicle* of Monday, signed by W. W. Dickson, on the County Superintendency, at the close of which he enters his protest against the personalities used by the friends of Mr. Douthett in various articles which have appeared in his defense. Now I ask in all candor, does the gentleman suppose the public are ignorant of the fact that he, of all others, has indulged in the *meanest* personalities of any one who has entered the arena of this controversy. We refer particularly to an article in Saturday's *Dispatch*, signed "Director," of which the above named gentleman secured the publication, if he did not write it. This article contained personalities of the lowest grade, of which we have any conception; one against an individual who has taken no part in this controversy—another against the Superintendent. This gentleman refers to certain statements, made by the County Superintendent, in regard to Mr. Burtt, which he says "that gentleman so triumphantly refuted." Now let us examine this "*triumphant*" refutation. Mr. Douthett says that "the only person who *keeps* a Normal school," &c.

Now we know no reason why any one, who understands the *English language*, could fail to understand *this sentence*; yet Mr. Burtt says in his "*Triumphant*" refutation that Professors Goff, Stevenson, and Munro taught Normal School; and Mr. Burtt thinks, that because they were Normal teachers once they are *yet*, notwithstanding the fact that one of them has been a book agent for near two years, and another a Professor in the Western University for about the same time. Here we have the author of a Grammar, who cannot recognize the difference between the Present and Past tenses. But allowing the gentleman to mix his tenses to suit himself, we will enquire further into his "triumphant" refutation. Mr. Burtt admits pupils into his school from any point whatever, and charges a fee of five dollars for tuition. Messrs. Goff, Munro and Stevenson taught those of their own ward only. Now if this entitles them to be considered teachers of Normal Schools; then every one of the six hundred teachers of Allegheny County may be designated as Normal School teachers. As to the examples cited by Mr. Dickson, to prove the partiality of Mr. Douthett for Mr. Curry's pupils, we cannot answer, as we know nothing of the parties spoken of; but as we are satisfied that fully nine-tenths of all the reports in circulation concerning the Superintendent are false, we shall receive this one with all due allowance. Having succeeded by our former article, in drawing the gentleman out over his own signature, we hope in this to at least dismantle him of the assumed dignity which he gratuitously appropriates to himself, when he assumes to be one in the Profession, who enters his protest against personalities.

G. J. LUCKEY.

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Every one should call,
Every one should call,
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Ladies will find
A great variety
Of goods particularly adapted to their use, and
Will call early.
Will call early.

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For general debility and exhaustion of the powers of nature, whether occasioned by sickness, fast living, constitutional decay, old age or any other physical or mental cause, the one thing needful and indispensable is Hostetter's celebrated Stomach Bitters. When the fire of life seems to be absolutely dying out in the system, and the mind, sympathizing with the body, is reduced almost to a state of imbecility this mighty Restorative seems, as it were, to lift the sufferer out of the slough of despond, and recruit and reinvigorate both the frame and the intellect. An old farmer in the Valley of the Monongahela writes thus to Dr. Hostetter: "I can compare the operation of your Bitters upon me to nothing but the effect of a rain after a long dry spell in the fall of the year. The rain falling on the meadows starts the second crop of grass, and your wholesome medicine seems to have started a second crop of life and spirits in me." And this is truly the effect of this grateful and powerful preparation. Ladies of weak constitution, or whose strength has been impaired by sickness or age, find it a most efficacious and delightful Tonic, and it is administered with great success in marasmus or wasting of the flesh, to young children. In fact, it is a much safer and surer cordial for the nursery than anything advertised specially for that purpose.

Hostetter's Bitters

Are sold wholesale and retail at very low rates at Fleming's Drug and Patent Medicine Depot, No. 84 Market street, corner of the Diamond and Market, near Fourth street.

Iron—Phosphorus—Calisaya.

The Three best known tonics, skillfully and elegantly combined in an amber-colored cordial, beautifully transparent to the eye, pleasant to the taste and acceptable to the stomach. In Caswell, Mack & Co.'s Ferro-Phosphorated Elixir of Calisaya Bark.

Each pint contains one ounce of Royal Calisaya Bark, and each teaspoonful contains one grain of iron. Samples furnished free to the profession.

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Sole Manufacturers, N. Y.

For sale at wholesale in Pittsburgh by R. E. Sellers & Co. At retail by all Druggists.
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Spring and Summer Goods.

The well-known store of Mr. John Weter, Merchant Tailor, No. 126 Federal street, Allegheny, has been lately fitted up with a new assortment of spring and summer goods. The stock has been well selected, and embraces all the numberless articles needed for gentlemen's garments. A large stock of ready-made pants, coats, vests, &c., will also be found in his establishment. His stock of furnishing goods cannot be surpassed. Persons desiring to purchase a good suit of clothes would do well by giving Mr. Weter a call.

Thomas W. Parry & Co.,

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The only remedy ever discovered that will surely and permanently cure dyspepsia, indigestion, sick-headache, and enable dispeptics to eat hearty food without fear of distress, can be obtained at all our drug stores.

Agent for Pittsburgh, Joseph Fleming, Druggist, No. 84 Market street.

An Infallible Cure

For diarrhea, dysentery and cholera, is found in the medicine prepared only by Jos. Fleming, druggist, No. 84 Market street. In view of the approach of the cholera, no family should be without this valuable medicine. Sold only at Fleming's Drug and Patent Medicine Store, No. 84 Market street.

Boots and Shoes At Auction.

A large stock of Boots, Shoes and Gaiters will be sold at A. Leggate's Auction House, 139 Federal street, Allegheny, this afternoon, at 2 o'clock, to which the special attention of buyers is directed.

Pianos and Organs.

Great reduction in prices, to make room for an entire new stock.

CHARLOTTE BLUME, 43 Fifth street.

Black Silks,

A good assortment on the northeast corner of Fourth and Market streets.

C. HANSON LOVE & BRO.

Muslins

At less than market rates, on the northeast corner of Fourth and Market streets.

C. HANSON LOVE & BRO.

Dress Goods

Opened this morning, on the northeast corner of Fourth and Market streets.

C. HANSON LOVE & BRO.

Crash

At all prices, from ten cents upward, on the northeast corner of Fourth and Market streets.

C. HANSON LOVE & CO.

"Haines Bro's"

Celebrated New York Pianos at greatly reduced prices, at Blume's music and piano store, 43 Fifth street.

"Prince & Co.'s"

Automatic Organs for sale only by Charlotte Blume, 43 Fifth street, 2d door above Wood street.

Melodeons and Organs,

At very low prices at Blume's piano store, 43 Fifth street.

Knabe's Unrivalled Pianos.

Sold only by Charlotte Blume, 43 Fifth street.

For the Pittsburgh Gazette.

Removal of Mr. Von Bonnhorst.

"We should fail of our duty as a friend of the President and as a fair journalist speaking of public events did we not say that the removal of Mr. Von Bonnhorst is in every view a serious mistake."—*Commercial, April 2.*

The above is the conclusion of a sickly protest put forth by the *Commercial*, after several days time for reflection, against the removal of Mr Von Bonnhorst.

What the *Commercial* calls a serious mistake every true Union man, in this community calls a flagrant outrage.

It was no mistake of the President. He did it willfully and deliberately, for it is but little over a month since he gave Mr. Von Bonnhorst his commission; and now without cause or reason, other than the representations of such men as N. P. Sawyer and Samuel McKelvey the President removes Mr. Von Bonnhorst, and the *Commercial*, as the *friend* of the President, and *fair journalist*, makes a very feeble attempt, indeed, to lock the stable after the horse is gone, and thinks it can throw dust in the eyes of the people by speaking favorably of Mr. Von Bonnhorst. It no doubt believes what it says about him, but it is too late. It is well known that Sawyer, McKelvey & Co. have been well fortified in their appeals to the President by the palpable leaning of the *Commercial* towards the President's policy. This, in connection with the fact that one of the Vice Presidents of the Johnson meeting is so near the throne of the *Commercial* as to be considered the supreme dictator over its affairs, is strong evidence that the *Commercial* was of great service to the "Bummers" in their peregrinations to Washington.

FOURTH WARD.

THE LATEST NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

LATEST FOREIGN ADVICES.

German News Reassuring.

A SPANISH CONSPIRACY.

The Attempted Assassination.

&c., &c., &c.

NEW YORK, April 30.—The British steamer Bosphorus, from Liverpool on the 13th via Queenstown on the 15th inst., arrived to-day, bringing seven hundred and forty passengers. She has no sickness on board.

Satterthwaite's circular says large transactions in American securities for German account touched as low as 67½, but closed on the 18th at 69¾; Illinois Central 80@81; Erie 54¾.

AUSTRIA AND PRUSSIA.—German advices continue to be more reassuring, and there was a growing belief in peace.

A Vienna telegram of the 18th says: Bavaria, Wirtenburg, Saxony, Baden and Darmstadt are quite united on the German and Federal question. Should war ensue they would all be on the side of Austria. Their agreement encourages the hope that the peace will not be disturbed. Peace meetings continued to be held in the large towns throughout Prussia.

The tenure of the Prussian reply to the Austrian dispatch of the 7th instant, is published. It dwells especially on the admitted movement of the Austrian troops on the Prussian frontier, by which Prussia was led to take defensive measures, and says that if Count Mensdorff, after the Emperor had passed his word that no aggression was intended by Austria, still continues military preparations, it cannot but be expected that Prussia will give an equally clear denial of hostile intentions having been given by the King, and she should relinquish those defensive measures which were called forth by the attitude of Austria.

Prussia's answer to England's remonstrance is said to be cold and haughty. The Austrian answer says Austria does not ask an inch of land in the Duchies, nor will she accept it. Prussia wishes to annex the Duchies, and Austria is bound to support the rights of the Schleswig-Holstein people. She will not dictate to them, but requires that the will of the people and the Diet should be respected. The Prussian and Austrian troops should be withdrawn, and the people should choose a government by universal suffrage. Austria accepts their decision even if in favor of Prussia.

FRANCE.—An imperial decree prorogues the Corps Legislatif until June 21st.

Rentes on the 18th closed at 67f 15c.

SPAIN.—In the Chamber of Deputies, the Minister of the Interior stated that the Government was cognizant of the operations of certain conspirators, but did not apprehend any serious disturbance of the public tranquility.

RUSSIA.—There were great rejoicings at St. Petersburg and elsewhere on account of the Emperor's escape from assassination. The man who attempted the Emperor's life is a Russian land-owner of small means, who considered himself injured by the emancipation of the serfs. He discharged a pistol within a few feet of the Emperor, and the shot would have probably taken effect had not a peasant turned aside the assassin's arm. This peasant has been ennobled.

It is said that the Emperor with perfect presence of mind, himself seized the culprit, asking him quietly, "What have I ever done to you that you should seek my life?"

A Berlin dispatch says it is extremely doubtful if Prince Charles of Hohenzollern will accept the Hospodarship of Roumania. It was reported that the Great Powers had declined to countenance his totally illegal election.

NEW YORK, April 30.—The steamer Allemania, from Southampton on the 18th, arrived here this morning. The Moravian, from Portland, arrived out on the 17th. The general news was mainly covered by advices per the Hermann, yesterday.

The German question continued serious.

The commercial advices are of the evening of the 17th, and are as follows:

Liverpool Cotton market—sales on the 16th and 17th of 24,000 bales, including 6,000 bales to speculators and exporters. The market was firmer, with an upward tendency, with an advance of 1d per pound; Middlings and Uplands were quoted at about 15d.

The Manchester market was dull and irregular. Breadstuffs—Flour firmer and advanced 6d. Wheat firmer and advanced 1 to 2d. Corn firm with a slight advance. Provisions—Beef dull; Pork steady; Bacon easier; Butter inactive; Lard dull and nominal. Tallow steady. Produce—Spirits of Turpentine steady, at 49 to 50s for American; Rosin quiet and steady.

NEW NATIONAL BANK BILL.

Presidential Pardons.

WASHINGTON, April 30.—The bill introduced to-day by Mr. Rice, of Maine, in reference to National Banks, provides for the conversion of state National Banks to an amount of capital to be limited on application to the Comptroller of the Treasury, on or before the 1st of July. In the apportionment of the same, preference should be given to banks in such States as have not received their just proportion of National banking capital.

With due regard to existing banking capital resources and business of such states. The new tax bill provides that assessors within one year insert or enter specially any names of persons or parties omitted, or under valuation, to which they may have been liable.

The President to-day ordered pardons to be issued to forty-nine Texans under the first exception of the amnesty proclamation, as having held civil offices under the so-called Confederate Government; three from Georgia, ten from Louisiana and five from Alabama under the $20,000 exception. All of these were recommended by the Governors of their respective States.

The aggregate appropriations in the bill reported to-day from the Committee on Appropriations for the Freedmen's Bureau, for the next fiscal year, are $11,684,000.

QUAPANTINR CHOLERA REPORT.

NEW EXCISE LIQUOR LAW.

NEW YORK, April 30.—Dr. Swinburn, Health officer, visited the steamers' hospital at Quarantine yesterday and reports them in excellent condition. There have been no cases of cholera on the Virginia for the past week. On the England none of the passengers have been attacked. There are ninety-eight in the hospital, of which fifty are convalescent. The baggage has been removed and fumigated, preparatory to sending it to the city. The Erin had 1,180 passengers, all well. Four deaths occurred on the passage from non-infectious diseases. Many ladies have volunteered as nurses for the hospital.

There is considerable excitement in the city concerning the new excise liquor law, which takes effect to-morrow. The Board of Health will license only those who can prove good moral character. The lower class of liquor sellers talk of resisting the law as unconstitutional. Less than ten per cent. of them have been licensed heretofore. The police Commissioners are determined to enforce the law.

EXTENSIVE FIRE AT THERROLD, C. W.

Thirty-three Buildings Burned.

THEROLD, C. W., April 30.—On Sunday afternoon a fire broke out in the tailor shop of James Miller, which raged until thirty-three shops and houses and a large number of out buildings were destroyed. Nearly the whole of Front and Claremont, the two principal streets, are in ashes. The loss is estimated at $250,000. The principal sufferers are J. Monroe, A. Schwaller and W. B. Hendershop. Forty or fifty families are rendered homeless.

National Banks—Counterfeits—Austria and America—The Reconstruction Scheme.

NEW YORK, April 30.—The *Post's* telegram says. The Bank Committee decided to-day to report against the creation of any more National banks.

A large number of counterfeit fives on the Oneida County Bank, of New York, were put in circulation in Brooklyn this morning.

The *Commercial's* special says: The Austrian Minister has advertised his furnished residence, and expects the next European steamer will bring news of the sailing of Austrian troops for Mexico, which will insure his passports from Secretary Seward.

There is great hostility to the reconstruction scheme. Both the *National Intelligencer* and *Republican* oppose it.

The Bank Robbery at Cadiz—Burglars Arrested—Money Recovered.

WHEELING, W. VA., April 30.—The burglars engaged in the robbery of the Harrison National Bank of Cadiz, Ohio, were overtaken about two miles from Lagrange, Ohio, this afternoon.

A sharp encounter took place, in which one of the burglars was wounded, and three captured. One succeeded in making his escape closely pursued.

The amount of money recovered will probably exceed one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

Fenians Becoming Dissatisfied.

PHILADELPHIA, April 30.—At a large meeting of the officers of the Fenian circles held in this city yesterday, a committee was appointed under the Chairmanship of the District Centre, Andrew Wyne, to proceed to New York and ascertain from Col. O'Mahoney the object of the recent movements of the officers at headquarters, and an explanation of the manner in which the funds are being expended. The object of the committee is to satisfy the feeling of dissatisfaction among the Fenians in this city, which is daily growing stronger.

Fire in Leavenworth.

LEAVENWORTH, April 30.—Eight or ten buildings on Showall street, occupied as clothing stores and saloons, were burned on Saturday morning. The stocks were saved in a damaged condition. Insured in eastern offices. No insurance on the buildings. Loss estimated at $25,000 or $30,000.

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

WASHINGTON, April 30, 1866.

SENATE.

Mr. Fessenden reported from the Reconstruction Committee the joint resolution and bills already published.

Mr. Howe, from the Committee on the Library, reported a joint resolution for the purchase of the library of James Pettigrew, of South Carolina, for the Law Library of Congress.

The bill to authorize the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi at Quincy, Illinois, was taken up.

Mr. Grimes offered an amendment authorizing the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad to build a bridge at Burlington.

Mr. Henderson offered an amendment authorizing the construction of a bridge at Hannibal, Missouri.

Mr. Chandler rose to make a personal explanation. Some weeks since he had referred to an organization in the city, known as the National Rifles, as a rebel organization. This, he since learned, was a mistake.

Mr. Fessenden, from the Committee on Reconstruction, reported certain bills and a joint resolution, which have already been published. He stated in doing so, that it had been the intention of the Committee to accompany the bills and the joint resolution with a lengthy written report, but such had been the situation of the Committee that this report had not been completed. He hoped to be able to present it to the Senate before long. The bills and joint resolution were ordered to be printed.

Mr. Howe rose to a personal explanation. He had seen in the special dispatches in the New York *Herald*, a paragraph that Governor Fairchild was here to arrange matters in relation to the Fond du Lac Postmaster. It was not true that Governor Fairchild was here to settle the affairs between the General Government and the State of Wisconsin. In the course of a few remarks on this subject, Mr. Howe said the Assistant Postmaster-General had remarked that no man should eat President Johnson's bread and butter who did not support his policy. He, Howe, did not agree in the opinion of the Assistant Postmaster-General, that the public patronage of this country was designed as an instrument for dragooning the people into the support of any particular line of policy.

Mr. Ramsey offered a petition for the relief of the poor of Alabama, which was referred to the Committee on Claims.

Mr. Trumbull called up the bill to authorize the construction of certain bridges on the Mississippi at Quincy, Illinois, for railroad purposes.

Mr. Grimes offered an amendment, which was adopted, authorizing the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad to bridge the Mississippi at Burlington.

Mr. Henderson offered an amendment, which was adopted, authorizing the construction of a bridge at Hannibal, Missouri. The bill, as amended, was then passed.

The bill making appropriations for the support of the Postoffice Department for the ensuing year was called up.

Mr. Trumbull offered the following as an amendment to the bill:

No person exercising or performing the duties of any office which by law is required to be filled by the advice and consent of the Senate, shall, before confirmation by the Senate, receive any salary or compensation for his services, unless he be commissioned by the President to fill up a vacancy which has occurred during the recess of the Senate, and since its last adjournment, happened by death, resignation or expiration of term.

A lengthy discussion ensued, participated in by Messrs. Johnson, Trumbull, Henderson, Sumner, Sherman, Howard and Anthony; and the Senate, at 5 P. M., without taking action on the pending bill, adjourned.

HOUSE.

Mr. Rice, of Maine, introduced a bill giving further time and facilities for the conversion of the State Banks into National Banks, which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Banks.

Mr. Rice also introduced a bill to disapprove of the act of the Legislative Assembly of Washington Territory in reference to Scanamane county, which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Territories.

Mr. Garfield, of Ohio, introduced a bill to promote the construction of a line of railroad between the city of Washington and the Northwest for national purposes. Also a bill to promote the construction of a line of railroad from Pittsburgh, Pa., to Cleveland. Both bills were read twice and referred to the Select Committee on Military and Postal Railroads, and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Spalding, of Ohio, introduced a general resolution for the construction of a railroad bridge across the Cuyahoga river, over and upon the Government piers at Cleveland, which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Smith, of Kentucky, introduced a bill to aid in the construction of a wagon road in the Territory of Montana, which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Territories.

Mr. Kuykendall, of Illinois, introduced a joint resolution declaring the constitutional relations of the State of Tennessee restored to their practical relations with the United States, which was read twice and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Mr. Hubbard, of Iowa, introduced a bill to amend the act of May 12th, 1864, granting lands to the State of Iowa to aid in the construction of a railroad, which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

Mr. Windom, of Minnesota, introduced a joint resolution for the relief of certain settlers on the Sioux Reservation, in the State of Minnesota, which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Mr. Clarke, of Kansas, introduced a bill granting lands to the State of Kansas to aid in the construction of the Kansas and Neosho Valley Railroad, and its extension to the Red river, which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Public Lands, and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Ancona, of Pennsylvania, introduced a bill to amend the Internal Revenue act of June 30th, 1864, and March 3d, 1865, which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The resolution offered in January last, by Mr. Julian, calling for the speedy trial of Jeff Davis on the charges against him, and his prompt execution if found guilty, was taken up.

Mr. Julian adressed the House in support of the resolution, when it was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The Committee on Public Expenditures were instructed to inquire into the alleged frauds in the enforcement of the Revenue laws at Boston and New York, and authorized to sit during the recess of Congress at the most convenient place.

The Secretary of State was requested to furnish a list of claims of citizens of the United States now pending in our legation at Caraccas against the Venezuelan Government, and state what measures are required for their speedy settlement.

The River and Harbor bill was considered.

Mr. Elliott spoke in its favor, and moved the previous question. The bill passed.

Mr. Blaine submitted letters from Provost Marshal General Fry and made personal explanations, vindicating himself from the charge of having made untruthful statements touching the difficulties between Messrs. Conkling and Fry. The letter states that Mr. Blaine's assertions are strictly true, and details the difficulties at some length.

Mr. Stevens, from the Reconstruction Committee submitted a report, already published in reply to a question. Mr. Stevens said this report did not supercede the one concerning Tennessee submitted some days since; that the latter could be called up at any time.

The report, by a two-thirds vote, was made the special order for Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

Mr. Stevens said a short written report would soon be presented.

Mr. Stevens, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported a bill making appropriations for the use of the bureau of refugees, freedmen and abandoned lands, for the year commencing January 1st, 1866, which was read twice and referred to the Committee of the Whole on the State of the Union, and made the special order for Monday. The bill makes the following appropriations: Salaries of assistant and sub-assistant commissioners, $47,500; salaries of clerks, $82,800; stationery and printing, $63,000; quarters and fuel, $15,000; clothing for distribution, $1,750,000; commissary stores, $1,106,750; medical department, $500,000; transportation, $1,980,000; school superintendents, $21,000; sites for school houses and asylums, $3,000,000; telegraphing, $18,000; total, $11,584,000.

Mr. Stevens offered a substitute for the bill introduced by him December 20th, and referred to the Committee of the Whole on the State of the Union, to double the pensions of those who were made pensioners by the casualties of the late war, to pay damages done to loyal men by the rebel government and rebel raiders, and to enforce the confiscation of property of the enemy; which was ordered to be printed. The substitute forfeits to the United States all the public lands of the eleven States that formed the Government of the so-called Confederate States of America, directs the President to cause the seizure, forthwith, of such property belonging to the belligerent enemy, as is deemed forfeited by the act of the 17th of July, 1862, to hold and appropriate the same as the enemy's property, and to proceed to the condemnation of that already seized. It also provides that the President shall appoint two commissions or more, to consist of three persons, each to adjudicate and condemn such property, which shall become vested in the United States. The lands thus confiscated shall be distributed to the slaves liberated by the operations of the war and the amendment to the Constitution, at the rate of forty acres to each adult male person and to each widow who is the head of family, to be held by them in fee simple, but to be inalienable for ten years, after which time the absolute to the lands shall be conveyed to them. The rest of the confiscated property is to be applied to the following purposes: Giving one hundred dollars for the erection of buildings on each homestead, twenty millions to be invested in United States securities, and the interest added to the pensions of pensioners, one hundred millions to go towards equalizing the bounties of soldiers, and two hundred millions to go towards defraying damages to loyal citizens by the civil and military operations of the government lately called the Confederate States of America. No person's property is to be seized whose whole estate on the fourth of March, 1865, was not worth more than ten thousand dollars, unless he had voluntarily become an officer or employee in the military or civil service of the so called Confederate States. In enforcing all confiscations, the value of ten thousand dollars in real or personal property is to be left to the delinquents.

Mr. Stevens offered a resolution, citing the fact that the President had made no answer to the inquiry of the House as to the number of pardons and amount of property restored to rebel owners. Objected to.

Mr. Hitchcock introduced a bill to construct a wagon road from Nebraska to Montana. Referred.

Mr. Ashley presented resolutions referring to the Branch Mint at Carson City. Referred.

Mr. Blow introduced a bill to extend the wharf at St. Louis. Referred.

Mr. Conkling presented a petition of sixty-five Massachusetts women, asking an amendment to the constitution prohibiting States from disfranchising citizens on the ground of sex. Referred.

Mr. Hubbard offered a resolution appointing a Select Committee with power to look into the statements made by Mr. Conkling concerning Provost Marshal-General Fry.

Mr. Ross also added "also to look into Mr. Conkling's pay."

Mr. Blaine read from the Digest to show that he could not receive pay as Congressman and Judge Advocate too.

The resolution, after two votes, was passed.

The House then adjourned.

The Plan of Reconstruction—Opinions of the New York Press.

NEW YORK, April 30.—The *Tribune* says of the plan for reconstruction agreed upon by the Committee:—The exultation of pro-rebels over the inability to agree of the Joint Committee of fifteen, has proved illusory. The Committee has agreed on a proposition which will to-day be reported to both Houses, and which has received the votes of twelve to three, all but the Copperhead members. We may therefore accept and consider the Union party's plan of reconstruction. Our own preference for a much shorter and simpler programme is well known—universal amnesty, impartial suffrage. Such are its conducts and the whole of them.

The *Herald* says: The plan is ingeniously contrived. It is considerably milder than anything emanating from the Committee, and nearer the policy and the views of President Johnson. It may be unnecessary in some things, superfluous in others, and unfair in its continued exclusion of the Southern States after having, on their part, fulfilled the conditions of the Administration, charged with discretionary powers over the whole subject; but we have now only to await the issue before the two Houses.

The *Times* says the scheme would seem sweeping enough to satisfy the most eminent radical. It could hardly be more sweeping, indeed, unless it provided for wholesale confiscation and extermination, or banishment of the Southern people as a plan of pacification and reconstruction. The whole thing is worse than a burlesque. It might be styled a farce, were the country not in the midst of a very serious drama. Its proper designation would be a plan to prolong indefinitely the exclusion of the South from Congress by conditions to which the Southern people never will submit.

The *World* says: The purpose of the scheme would not have been more apparent had it been labeled by the Committee "an infallible plan for preventing the South from voting in the next Presidential election." So transparent is its intent that it fails entirely in its secondary object of putting the reasons of exclusion on the South itself. It is not an honest proposition; it is not offered with expectation of its acceptance, but with a deliberate design that it shall be rejected.

The *Tribune's* special says: After four months of the most searching investigation and dispassionate discussions among the members in the committee, it is believed that the plan will meet the entire sanction of all sorts of opinion and sentiment. Thus far no man among the Union members of either House has expressed any dissent from this plan. The friends of the President gave assurances to-night that if Congress carries out the scheme in good faith, it will receive his approval and co-operation. Neither of his organs here, it is stated, will commit themselves upon the proposition to-morrow. Thad. Stevens avows his readiness to acquiesce in the measure. The Lieutenant General expresses his approval, and no measure of Congress has challenged such universal assent in all quarters. It is not anticipated that any material amendment will be carried, and the States will be invoked to convene their Legislatures, so as to secure its adoption by loyal States, thus stimulating concurrent action by the States lately in rebellion.

Cholera Abating—The Fishing Question—Russo-American Telegraph.

NEW YORK, April 30.—The cholera is fast abating at the lower quarantine. No deaths have taken place, nor additional cases reported on board the hospital ships since Friday last, and all on board are reported to be in a fair way of recovery.

The steamer Lafayette, from Havre and Brest, 14th, arrived Saturday night.

The *Herald's* special says: The Miantonomah will soon go to the fishing grounds to protect the rights of American fishermen, and the Augusta will soon be sent there. Well informed persons think a collision in British North American waters quite possible.

Among the passengers who will sail for California to-morrow is Count Anzoff, who goes to join Col. Bulkley at San Francisco. The Count will represent the Russian Government with the great expedition which will be fully under way by the 1st of June.

Jeff Davis' Counsel—Commissioner of Agriculture—Burial of Union Soldiers—Cabinet and Reconstruction—Muster Out Order.

NEW YORK, April 30.—The *Times'* special says: There is no truth in the statement that counsel has been assigned to defend Davis.

There is reason to believe that the President will soon appoint a new Commissioner of Agriculture, in response to an almost universal request.

Quartermaster General Meigs has submitted a very interesting report to the Secretary of War, showing great progress made in looking after the proper burial of Union officers and soldiers in the south.

The *Tribune's* special says: A majority of the Cabinet are reported as favoring the reconstruction report.

An order mustering out all volunteer staff officers will be issued soon.

Destructive Fire in New Haven—Loss Over $200,000.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., April 30.—About one o'clock this morning, one of the buildings of the New Haven Clock Company was discovered to be on fire. The flames spread in spite of the efforts of the fire department, until all the buildings of the company, seven in number, were consumed. Eleven dwelling houses in the vicinity were also burned with nearly all their contents.

Twenty families are rendered houseless, and two hundred workmen thrown out of employment. The total loss is estimated at $200,000. The Company had an insurance of $160,000 on their manufactory, the risks being held in the office of Lester & Webb, insurance agents of this city, but in what company is not known.

From New Orleans and Galveston.

NEW ORLEANS, April 30.—A new flood is coming down from all the rivers. The whole of South-western Louisiana is overflowed. No progress has been made in closing the crevasses. The loss of property and crops will be immense.

Galveston, April 27.—A battalion of regulars has arrived.

Gen. Heintzelman leaves to-day for San Antonio, his future headquarters.

The prospects of the crops are reported very good. The laborers generally work well.

Constitutional Convention—A Rumor.

NEW YORK, April 30.—The *Commercial's* Washington special says: It is rumored that the President advocates the calling of a national convention to settle the issues now pending. Large appropriations have already been made, and it is supposed by Congress to alarm the Finance Committee.

Bill Approved.

WASHINGTON, April 30.—The President has approved the bill appropriating $115,000 to supply a deficiency in the appropriation for the public printing for the year ending with June next, $45,000 for paper, and $95,000 for public binding.

Police Salaries Increased.

ALBANY, April 30.—The Governor has signed the bill increasing the salary of the members of the Metropolitan Police Department.

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

Pittsburgh Temperance League.

The Pittsburgh Temperance League held a meeting last evening, in the Central Presbyterian church, Smithfield street, Dr. A. G. McCandless in the chair. In the absence of the Secretary, G. M. McMaster, Esq., was chosen Secretary *pro tem.*

The object of the meeting was to hear the report of the Committee appointed to visit Harrisburg, and also to take steps to prevent the granting of licenses to persons in the county not entitled to receive them. The Committee reported progress, and were continued.

Mr. John D. Bailey offered the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the temperance men of each ward, borough and township be requested to present such facts to the court as will prevent the granting of license to those who do not come fully up to the requirements of the law.

Resolved, That the constables of all the wards in the city be requested to return all the retail druggists who are known to sell liquor as a beverage.

Resolved, That we heartily approve and bid God speed to the regular officer of Reserve township in returning those in that district who have violated the Sunday liquor law.

The resolutions were unanimously adopted.

On motion, Messrs. W. W. Dickson, Dr. Robert Wray and Dr. A. G. M'Candless were appointed a committee to prepare a plan for ward organization to resist the granting of licenses to those not legally entitled to receive them.

It having been reported that the Allegheny League had appointed a committee of ten to call a county convention, the subject was briefly discussed and laid over until the next meeting.

The League then adjourned to meet at the same place, on Monday evening next—the Executive Committee being instructed to procure speakers for the occasion.

District Court.

MONDAY, April 30.—Before Judge Williams.

The first case called was that of Thomas Mellon vs. L. C. J. Noble's heirs. The jury found for the plaintiff, $634.

The next case taken up was that of Dr. Wm. M. Wright vs. the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. This was an action to recover damages, for injuries sustained by the plaintiff, by an accident which occurred on the railroad, near Larimer's station, on the 21st of September, 1860. The plaintiff was a practising dentist, and had been on a visit to Philadelphia. On his return home the train in which he had taken passage was thrown from the track at Larimer's station, and several cars rolled down an embankment. Among those injured was the plaintiff, who sustained a severe contusion on the back of the neck. His spinal column was also injured to such an extent that paralysis ensued, by which he lost the use of his right hand and arm. In consequence of these injuries he was forced to relinquish his profession. The accident, it is alleged, was the result of gross carelessness, and the action is brought to recover the damages sustained thereby, laid at $20,000. Messrs. D. W. and A. S. Bell, and Thos. M. Marshall, appear for the plaintiff, and John H. Hampton, Esq., for defendants. The case is still on trial.

Meeting of City Councils.

A regular meeting of Councils was held last evening, at eight o'clock.

In *Select*: Present—Messrs. Armstrong, Barckley, Brown, Coffin, Herdman, Leow, McGlintock, McMillan, Morrow, Shipton, Thompson, White, Wilson and President McAuley.

The first business in order was the consideration of the business transacted in C. C. at last meeting after S. C. had adjourned, which was all concurred in by S. C.

The Clerk was authorized to announce to the Common Council that the Select Council was in readiness to elect a Messenger to Committees. Councils then went into joint session for an election to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Col. E. F. Pratt.

On re-assembling, Select Council went into an election for Messenger of Councils. Mr. Samuel B. Cooper was unanimously elected *viva voce* to fill the vacancy.

Mr. Morrow presented a petition of property holders of the Eighth ward, asking the indefinite postponement of an ordinance now pending in Councils in reference to the paving of Locust street. Referred to the Street Committee.

Mr. Thompson, a petition from citizens of the Seventh ward asking a change of the width of Webster street between Roberts and the Methodist burying ground, from sixty to fifty feet. Referred to Street Committee.

Mr. Barckley, a petition from citizens of the Seventh ward, asking for the laying down of a water pipe to commence at Green street and thence to Duncan street, one hundred and sixty feet to De Villiers street. Referred to Water Committee.

Mr. White, a petition from property owners, residents and others on Second street, requesting the passage of an ordinance authorizing the grading and paving of second street from the end of the present pavement to city line. Referred to Street Committee.

Petitions were received from Messrs. McKelvy, Miller & Co., and Wade Hampton, for Pittsburgh, Oil Creek and Petrona, and Petrona Oil company (both being the same company, but assessed twice,) for a reduction of business tax for 1865; also bill of C. Reichspfar, City Regulator, for $627.

Communication received and accepted, and the City Controller authorized to issue his certificate for the payment of the bill. The petitions were referred to Finance Committee.

Mr. McMillan presented a petition from the citizens of the Ninth ward, requesting the passage of an ordinance for the paving and grading of Spruce alley from Smith to Taylor street. Read twice and referred to the Street Committee, with instructions to report an ordinance.

Also, a petition from James Heastings, contractor, requesting an order from Councils for the payment of two back assessments for paving, each for $39.34; which was read and the Controller authorized to certify a warrant in petitioner's favor for the amount and charge Contingent Fund.

Also, a petition from property owners praying for the paving and grading of Pennsylvania avenue to the end of city line. Referred to Street Committee, with instructions to report an ordinance.

Mr. Armstrong presented a communication from Martin Schnabal, the owner of a lot on the corner of Penn and Taylor streets, in the Ninth ward, asking for the privilege of erecting a small frame iron-clad blacksmith shop. Referred to Committee on Wooden Buildings.

Mr. Shipton introduced an ordinance establishing, as a place for holding elections in the Tenth ward, the public house of J. R. Dickey, corner of Fifth and Smithfield streets. Read three times and passed.

Mr. McMillan presented the report of Viewers appointed to assess the benefits and damages caused by the opening and widening of Bedford street, Seventh ward, together with a remonstrance. Report accepted and approved.

Mr. McLaughlin, from the Street Committee, presented the Report of Viewers appointed to assess the damages for the extension of Shingiss street, in the Eighth ward, accompanied by a remonstrance. Report accepted and approved.

Mr. McMillan presented the report of viewers on the assessment of damages for the grading and paving of Keating's alley, in the Seventh ward. Report accepted and viewers sustained.

Mr. Barckley presented a petition of the Pittsburgh and Minersville Passenger Railway Company, praying for relief for the period of five years from keeping in repair the road on which the line is run, accompanied by a petition from citizens favoring the same, and also an ordinance, which was read. The petition stated that during the last eighteen months the road had been maintained at an actual loss to the Company of five thousand dollars. The proposed ordinance exempts the Company from clearing and repairing the streets, except that portion between the track, and one foot on each side of the track, traversed by the railway, and providing that the ordinance making the Company liable be repealed. The petitions and ordinance were referred to the Street Committee.

Mr. M'Millan offered a resolution granting permission to John R. Crawford to remove his frame dwelling, situated on Bedford street, between Warren and Roberts streets, bringing it on a line parallel with adjoining houses. Read three times and past.

Ordinances authorizing the grading and paving of Elm, Watson, Locust, Bedford, Logan and other streets were read by their titles and laid over under the rules.

Mr. M'Millan reported an ordinance authorizing the widening of Pennsylvania avenue, and the disposition of certain property belonging to the Pennsylvania Railroad. Referred to the Street Committee.

Mr. Low offered a resolution for the erection of a gas lamp on the corner of Tunnel and Webster streets, which was passed.

Mr. M'Millan, a resolution authorizing property owners on Dinwiddie street to fill up said street from Centre avenue to Pennsylvania avenue to a uniform grade, provided that the same be done without impeding the travel or water courses, and without expense to the city. Passed.

The report of Viewers on the Carson-street sewer was taken up, and S. C. receded from its former action in non concurring with C. C., and appoint on their part Messrs. Morrow and Herdman on the committee to examine the same.

Mr. Morrow offered a resolution creating and appropriating No. 21 Sanitary Fund; directing the Controller to transfer $2,000 from the Contingent Fund Appropriation No. 15, and $3,000 from a Finance appropriation No. 18, to the fund.

Considerable discussion ensued on the propriety of entailing so large a burden on the finances of the city, and the cholera question was incidentally ventilated.

President McAuley, (Mr. McLaughlin in the chair) moved to amend by striking out the amounts named and inserting $3000 from city property. Adopted.

A resolution was offered and laid on the table authorizing the Special Committee of the Second District to notify the officers of the Pennsylvania Insurance Company to either fill up or drain a cellar on Bedford street.

Mr. Morrow presented an ordinance, granting Alfred Slack, Wm. Bunton, A. B. McQuewan, W. F. Richardson and J. Heath privilege to lay a railroad along the Monongahela wharf from the foot of Liberty street to the corner of West street, for unloading and reloading lumber. Read three times and passed.

Mr. McMillan, an ordinance authorizing the grading and paving of Clark street. Laid over.

A petition for repairs to the Relief Engine House was presented and referred to Committee on City Property.

On motion adjourned.

In *Common Council*: Present, Messrs. Beck, Brush, Dickson, Ford, Hare, Killen, Layng, Mawhinney, Moreland, McEwen, J. M., McQuewan, A. B., McClelland, McGowan, Ogden, Patchell, Rebman, Robb, Seibert, Simpson, Tomlinson, Verner, Welsh, Wright, and President Steel.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Councils then went into joint session for the purpose of electing a messenger to Committees, to fill the unexpired term of Capt. E. F. Pratt, deceased.

The business of the joint session having been concluded, the Select Council retired to their chamber.

Mr. McQuewan offered a resolution providing for the erection of a water plug on Penn street, between Marbury street and Bell's alley, which was read and referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. Moreland presented a communication from Mr. J. McC. Creighton, General Agent of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, representing that the supply of water at the outer depot of the road is wholly inadequate, and praying that ways and means for overcoming the difficulty be adopted by Councils. Read and referred to Committee on Water.

Mr. Killen presented a petition from the Relief Fire Company, praying Councils to repair their engine house. Read and referred to Committee on City Property, with power to act.

Mr. Moreland presented a petition from owners of property on Dinwiddie street, in the Seventh ward, praying for a suspension of further action in the matter of grading and paving said street. Read and referred to Committee on Streets.

Mr. Killen presented a communication signed by fifteen soldiers of the late war, praying that Councils would pass an ordinance, granting them each $300 local bounty, in accordance with the provisions of the act of Assembly in the premises. The communication was read and referred to a select committee appointed at the previous meeting, consisting of Messrs. Brown and Phillips, of S. C., and Messrs. Tomlinson, Wright and Patchell of C. C.

Mr. Hare presented a communication from Mr. Thomas Elliott, Agent of the Fire Alarm Telegraph Company, asking that a committee be appointed by Councils to confer with him in regard to the erection of a fire alarm telegraph in this city. The communication was read and accepted, and Messrs. Hare and Ogden appointed said committee on the part of C. C. S. C. concurred and appointed Mr. Brown.

Mr. Ford offered an ordinance, amending section five, chapter nineteen, of the City Code, by adding the following: "Provided, that the Street Committee may reduce or remit said tax on switches placed on streets that are not graded or paved." The ordinance was read three times and passed.

Mr. Dickson offered a resolution directing the Controller to certify a warrant on the Treasurer in favor of James McGoffin, for one month's salary as Messenger to Council, which was read and adopted.

Mr. Moreland called up the petition of Messrs. Lippincott & Bakewell, asking permission to erect an iron-clad building on Dinwiddie street, in the Seventh ward, to be used as a rolling mill and hammer shop, and moved that the action of the Select Council, in referring it to the Committee on Wooden Buildings, with power to act, be concurred in. Adopted.

Mr. Wright offered his resignation as a member of the Sanitary Committee, which was accepted, and Mr. Mawhinney appointed in his stead.

Mr. Ogden, from the Market Committee, in compliance with a resolution passed at last meeting, reported that the seats formerly used in the City Hall had been sold by the Market Committee of last year for $300, which amount was in the hands of Mr. Sims, the late superintendent. The report was accepted, and a resolution directing Mr. Sims to hand the money to the Market Committee, to be used in refurnishing City Hall, was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Wright, Capt. S. B. Cooper was unanimously elected Messenger of Common Councils.

The resolution passed by Select Council, appropriating $5,000 to be used for the purpose of placing the city in a good sanitary condition, was then taken up.

Mr. Ford offered the following resolution which was unanimously adopted.

Resolved, That the farther sum of $7,000 be appropriated to the Sanitary Committee, $5,000 of which shall be taken from the Contingent Fund, and $2,000 from the City Property appropriation.

On motion, Council adjourned.

IN JOINT SESSION.

Convened for the purpose of electing a Messenger to Committees. Messrs. Samuel B. Cooper, J. Magoffin and T. A. Roberts were put in nomination. A ballot was entered into, which resulted as follows:

Samuel B. Cooper .... 28 votes.
J. Magoffin .... 9 "
S. A. Roberts .... 1 "

Captain Cooper was then declared duly elected.

On motion of Mr. Morrow, a committee consisting of Messrs. Morrow, Moreland and McEwen was appointed to prepare a series of resolutions in regard to the death of Captain E. F. Pratt, the late Messenger to Councils.

The New Union Depot Hotel—Opening Fixed for Thursday Next—The Building, Furniture, Etc.

The large, elegant and commodious hotel of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, located at the Union depot, and which has been in course of completion for several months past, will be open for the reception of guests on Thursday next. We paid a brief visit to the hotel yesterday, and took a stroll through the halls and rooms. Having already published a detailed description of the building, we shall at present give but a general view of its dimensions. The hotel proper is eighty-six feet front by two hundred and ten feet in depth, and four stories in height. The first floor is occupied by the various offices of the Company, while the remaining three stories is devoted to hotel purposes. On the first floor of the hotel is the spacious dining room, eighty feet long by sixty feet wide, with accommodations for seating three hundred guests. This room is fitted up in the most elegant manner, and is lighted by twenty-four large windows, and twelve chandeliers of twelve burners each. The room is supported by ten beautiful columns, and is approached by four public entrances. On the whole, it is one of the neatest, most convenient and attractive dining halls we have ever seen.

On the first floor there are also a reception room and parlor for ladies, and a gents' parlor and reading room, all conveniently arranged and elegantly furnished.

On the second floor there is a private parlor for ladies, with wash rooms, bath rooms, water closets, etc. A more comfortable or convenient place for ladies who may wish to remain over for a few hours' rest while traveling, or for those who may be compelled to remain in consequence of "missing the connection" with eastern or western bound trains, cannot be found anywhere in the city.

The second and third floors are mainly occupied by sleeping rooms, which are furnished in superior style, and provided with all the modern conveniences. The hotel is arranged for the comfortable accommodation of about one hundred and fifty lodgers.

The main entrance for passengers from the trains will be from the platform at the eastern end. Another entrance is located at the centre of the hall on the first floor.

The restaurant, located in the basement of the building, is an important department of the hotel, and will no doubt be extensively patronized by those who wish to indulge in transient meals. Guests can have their meals served to order, at all hours, and in the best style. The restaurant will be conducted under the supervision of the Company's officers, and will no doubt soon become one of the most popular dining places in the city.

The building is heated throughout by steam, and is fully supplied with gas, water, and all the modern conveniences and improvements. It is provided with an elevator, or dumb waiter, for the raising of baggage, and all heavy articles required in the upper rooms. In a word, all the arrangements are complete in every detail, and calculated to secure first-class hotel accommodations to travelers.

We may state in this connection that the management of the hotel has been placed in the hands of Ira A. Church, Esq., as Superintendent, and Thomas Graham, Esq., as Cashier. Mr. Church is a comparative stranger here, but he is an old hand at the business, and "knows how to keep a hotel." He was formerly in the hotel business at Mauch Chunk, but more recently at Williamsport, Pa. The fact that he has been selected by the Directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to superintend so extensive and important a business is a sufficient endorsement of his abilities and qualifications. The Cashier, Mr. Graham, needs no recommendation at our hands, being well and favorably known as one of the oldest and most experienced business men in the community. He was for several years a member of the old firm of Coyote & Graham, and has since been engaged in a number of business enterprises. It is worthy of remark that he was the first Freight Agent of the Company at this point, and discharged the duties of the position with credit to himself and to the satisfaction of the Company. He was until very recently engaged as the Secretary of the Cash Insurance Company of this city, but resigned the position for the purpose of assuming the duties of his present appointment. He is every way qualified for the position, and will no doubt make an excellent and popular officer. With two such efficient and energetic gentlemen at the head of affairs, we may expect to see the new Depot Hotel at once take rank among the best conducted houses in the country.

Presentation to Deputy Sheriff Culey—A Handsome Compliment.

On Saturday, a large number of the members of the Pittsburgh Bar, wishing to testify their appreciation of the services of Deputy Sheriff Samuel B. Culey, presented him with a very beautiful and costly gold watch and chain. It may not be out of place for us to say that for five or six years past we have had almost daily intercourse with Mr. Culey, and a more attentive, gentlemanly and obliging officer we have seldom met with. We can heartily sanction the warm endorsement of the donors, who characterize Mr. Culey as a "prompt, correct, skillful and faithful officer." The testimonial was well deserved, and we congratulate the Deputy Sheriff upon the reception of so substantial a token of respect and esteem. The following is the letter of the donors, with the reply of the recipient:

PITTSBURGH, April 28, 1866.

SAMUEL B. CULEY—Dear Sir: The undersigned, some of your friends among the members of the Pittsburgh Bar, present you the watch and chain accompanying this note, as an evidence of their high esteem for you as a gentleman, as a friend, as a prompt, correct skillful and faithful officer in the discharge of your duties whilst in the Sheriff's office for years past, and of their appreciation of the many obligations they are under to you for making it so pleasant to transact business there.

We have the honor to be your sincere friends,

D W & A S Bell
Thos M Marshall
F H Collier
Robt B Carnahan
A M Brown
C B M Smith
Jno H Hampton
A H Miller
David Reed
C W Robb
W C Moreland
Kirkpatrick & Mellon
Thomas Ewing
Alex M Watson
M Swartzwelder

Moffett & Cochran
Taylor & Keenan
Jones & Pearson
S H Geyer
Chas W McHenry
H C Mackrell
J J Siebeneck
Jno Barton
Jno C McCarthy
William Linn
Hopkin & Lazear
Ed Snowden
S A A W S Purviance
Arthurs & Riddell

J Veech & Son
Sam C Schoyer
Woods, Jr
R C G Sproul
Robb & McConnell
Jno N McClowry
N Nelson
J C McCombs
Jno S Ferguson
N Buckmaster
W L Paxton
J Ludwig Koethen
Jno S Lamble
and others.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE,
PITTSBURGH, April 28, 1866.

To Messrs. Bell, Collier, Carnahan, Kirkpatrick, Hopkins, Hampton, Pearson, Moreland, McClowry, and others:

GENTLEMEN—MEMBERS OF THE PITTSBURGH BAR: In accepting the beautiful watch and chain accompanying your flattering note, I have no language to express the gratitude of my heart. I shall cherish and preserve your gift—a gift to me of priceless value—as a memorial of your goodness to me for having endeavored to discharge the duties within the sphere of my calling. For this, and the many other obligations I am under to the members of the bar, please accept my warmest thanks.

I am, gentlemen, yours most respectfully,
SAMUEL B. CULEY.

Book Notices.

"PETROLEUM. A history of the oil region of Venango county, Pa. By Rev. S. J. M. Eaton. Philadelphia: J. P. Skelly & Co."

Mr. Eaton is pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Franklin, and being thus surrounded by the influences of the oil region, has entered into the work of describing them with peculiar zest. His faculties for acquiring have naturally been of a superior kind, from his being constantly on the ground; and as he is a gentleman of ability and a good writer, his book is better than any book that has yet appeared on this subject. It is not a mere compilation of statistics and details, but the author enters into his subject with interest, and every reader of his book is pleased with both matter and style.

For sale by John P. Hunt & Co., Masonic Hall, Fifth street.

THE MASQUERADE and other Poems. By John Godfrey Saxe. Boston: Ticknor & Fields, 1866.

Mr. Saxe possesses a large share of genius, and of a peculiar vein. As a delicate satirist, he is almost unequalled by any living writer, and this volume affords an admirable display of powers.

For sale by John P. Hunt & Co.

Mount Washington Nominations.—The new borough of Mount Washington, recently incorporated by act of Assembly, took the preliminary steps on Saturday last, for setting the corporate machinery in motion, by nominating the following citizens' ticket, which will be voted for on Saturday next.

Justice of the Peace and Burgess—Edward Bratt.
Justice of the Peace—Isaac Whittier.
Borough Council—Wm. Dilworth, Wm. Halpin, John C. Shaler, Sr., John Burford, Frederick Kauf.
Constable—Michael Davis.
Judge of Election—Joseph Cookson.
Inspectors of Election—Jacob Wilbert, Richard Stubbs.
Assessor—Eli Burford.
Assistant Assessors—Frederick Kauf, Jacob Kauf.
Auditors—Isaac Whittier, 3 years; Joseph Cookson, 2 years; Daniel Tonse, 1 year.
School Directors—Thomas J. Bigham, O. S. Mellvaine, Geo. Chivers, Withrow Douglas, Isaac Whittier; Lewis Bellem.

Constable Charged with Assault and Battery.—Deputy Mayor Strain yesterday had before him a case of assault and battery, preferred by the husband of Margaret Kneeland, of the First ward, against a constable named Matthew Keep. The grievance complained of consisted in the constable dispossessing that lady at the instance of her landlord. The defendant waived a hearing, and gave bail for his appearance at Court.

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The County Superintendency—The Convention To-day.

The School Directors of Allegheny County will meet in convention, this afternoon, at one o'clock, in City Hall, for the purpose of electing a County Superintendent of Common Schools, to serve for the ensuing three years, and to fix the salary for the term. It is needless for us to remind the Directors of the importance of the work before them. We take it for granted that they all fully understand the bearing which their action will have upon the cause of education for the next three years. The subject has been very warmly discussed in the columns of the public press for the past ten days, and we may safely presume that the directors have pretty generally made up their minds as between the respective candidates. There are three names prominently mentioned in connection with the office, Messrs. A. T. Douthett, the present incumbent, Thomas E. Wakeham, Principal of the Fourth Ward (Allegheny) schools, and Rev. W. S. Gray, Principal of Excelsior Institute. There may be other gentlemen named for the position, on the assembling of the Convention, but the above are the only ones thus far mentioned. From the tenor of the discussions on the question of the election of a Superintendent, it is inferred that there may be some lively scenes in the Convention, but we hope everything will be done "decently and in order."

Amusements.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—The inauguration of the Academy of Music last night was a most perfect success. The interior arrangement was simply gorgeous, and illuminated as it was by the brilliant jets of gas, the appearance was magnificent. The audience was composed of the beauty and fashion of the city, and the handsome Opera costumes of the ladies lent additional charm to the scene. The building is well adapted to sound, the ceiling being very lofty, and the test of the powers of the singers, choruses and instrumental accompaniements was very satisfactory.

Flotow's beautiful Opera of Martha was produced with all the effects that entirely new scenery and surroundings could give it. Madam Johannsen, as Martha, was in excellent voice. Mr. Habelman failed to make his appearance, on account of a severe illness from which he was laboring prior to his leaving New York, but the audience was very agreeably disappointed by the manner in which a gentleman (whose name we were unable to learn) performed the part of Lionel. M'lle Dzinba will, we predict, become a great favorite in Pittsburgh. She is very handsome, very lively, sings well, and thoroughly appreciates her role. In fact, all of the performers rendered their parts admirably. To-night the Opera of Faust will be presented, and we expect to see a very large audience present. In fact, we think we may safely assume that the Academy of Music will henceforth be the leading feature in the amusements of our city.

OPERA HOUSE.—Miss Lotta, who was announced for last night, failed to arrive in the city, and a play was improvised to meet the disappointment. The house was well filled. Hereafter the Opera House will be under the management of Mr. Leak, the former management being unsatisfactory. Mr. and Mrs. Selton, Mrs. La Forrest and others, will be no longer professionally connected with this institution. The present Manager promises that hereafter the Opera House will be conducted in the best possible manner, excellent order will be maintained, and nothing will be permitted in the least offensive to ears refined. Miss Lotta has arrived and will appear this evening.

PITTSBURGH THEATRE.—Edwin Adams continues to draw fine houses. During the present week he will appear each night in a new character. Mr. Adams' versality of talent makes him successful in whatever he undertakes, and his admirers are equally well pleased with him in every character he assumes. To-night the "Ticket-of-Leave Man" will be produced, in which he will personate the character of Robert Brierly.

Distillery Seized.—The distillery owned by Messrs. Hook & Wise, and located in Franklin township, Greene county, has been seized by the United States Collector of the Twenty-fourth District, for alleged failure to make the proper returns of the quantity of whisky manufactured and sold at the establishment for some time past. On Saturday in the United States District Court, Hon. Wilson McCandless on the bench, District Attorney Carnahan filed a libel of forfeiture against the distillery and appurtenances, and also seventy-eight barrels of whiskey. The Court ordered that a monition be issued to the owners, citing them to appear on the 22d of May, and make answer to the libel and in behalf of the property seized.

Death from Coal Oil Explosion.—A Mrs. Thompson, residing at Kittanning, met with a terrible accident on Saturday night, which resulted fatally. It appears that she was carrying a lighted lamp, filled with coal oil, when it fell from her hands and exploded. Her clothing took fire and in an instant she was completely enveloped in flames. Assistance was rendered as speedily as possible, but before the flames could be extinguished she was so severely burned that death ensued in a short time. The husband of the deceased worked in this city, and received a telegraphic dispatch on Sunday informing him of the distressing affair.

Felonious Assault.—Alderman Strain yesterday held a hearing on a charge of felonious assault and battery preferred by Teddy McCartay against Thomas McCarthy. The defendants are brothers, and Teddy alleges that on Saturday last Thomas struck him with a handy-billy and stabbed him in the side with a knife. The parties live in West Pittsburgh. Thomas was held to bail to answer.

Held to Bail.—Wm. Hagerman, an ex-Justice of the Peace, of Lower St. Clair township, was held to bail yesterday by Alderman Strain, to answer a charge of aggravated assault and battery preferred by J. A. Motte, of McClure township. The prosecutor charged defendant with striking him several times in the face and stomach.

Accident.—On Sunday afternoon a man named William Lennox had his left ankle bone broken by jumping out of a wagon, while coming down the pike, near its intersection with Butler street, Lawrenceville. He was taken to his home in the Sixth ward, in this city, and received proper attention.

United States Commissioner Appointed.—In the United States Circuit Court, yesterday, Judge McCandless appointed Simeon B. Chase, Esq., of Great Bend, Susquehanna county, as United States Commissioner for that district.

Fire.—The roof of Riter and Reymer's sheet iron works, corner of Water street and Redoubt alley, ignited yesterday from sparks, but the fire was extinguished with but a trifling damage.

The Argument List.—Judges Sterrett, Mellon and Stowe, of the Common Pleas, are now engaged in the hearing of cases on the Argument List.

CITY ITEMS.

Carpenter Jobbing Shop

Having returned after an absence of three years in the army, I have re-opened my shop for all sorts of jobbing in the carpenter line at the old stand, Virgin Alley, between Smithfield street and Cherry Alley. Orders solicited and promptly attended to.

WILLIAM FORKER.

Lindsay's Blood Searcher.

I hereby challenge any person to question my right to manufacture the above, and offer the same for sale at my new Stores, 107 Smithfield street, and opposite the Postoffice.

J. M. FULTON.

MARRIED.

MOYLE—RILEY—April 11th, by Rev. Wesley Smith, Mr. JOHN MOYLE to Miss SLELENA RILEY, all of Sharpsburg, Pa.

DIED.

BROWN—On Monday, April 30th, Mrs. ELIZABETH BROWN, wife of Josiah Brown.

The funeral will take place from the residence of David Richey, corner of Ohio and Chestnut streets, Allegheny, on WEDNESDAY, May 2nd, at 4 o'clock.

CEMETERIES.

HILLDALE CEMETERY.—A Rural and most picturesque place of Sepulture, situate on the uplands, immediately north of Allegheny City, on the New Brighton Road. Persons wishing to select Burial Lots will apply at the Superintendant's office, at the Cemetery. Title Deeds, Permits and all other business will be attended to at the Drug Warehouse of the undersigned, corner of Federal and Lacock streets, Allegheny.

GEO. A. KELLY,
Secretary and Treasurer.

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THE JONES' FERRY COMPANY is prepared to carry Pic-nic and Pleasure Parties to any point on the rivers within the limits of Allegheny County. Apply at the Wharf Boat, foot of Penn street, to ap30:1wd DAVID ROBINSON, Supt.

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OPERA HOUSE.

Glorious triumph of the fascinating artiste,

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The California Diamond.

THREE PIECES TO-NIGHT!

LOAN OF A LOVER.
NAN THE GOOD-FOR-NOTHING,
and ANDY BLAKE.

Look out for the "Seven Daughters of Satan" and "Topsey." my1

WANTS.

WANTED—PARTNER.—$1,000 will secure one-half interest in a Commission Business, profits last year $5,000. Address, with full name and reference, "COMMERCIAL," Post Office. my1:dlw

WANTED—A General Business Partner, in a Boat Manufacturing Business, in this city, will sell his ONE-EIGHTH INTEREST to some competent party, having $5,000 to invest; or the ONE-HALF interest to the entire business, which includes the State rights of the best improved Bolt Machine now in use, can be bought for $12,000. Address P., GAZETTE OFFICE. my1:2td

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

TUESDAY, MAY 1, 1866.

FOR GOVERNOR:

MAJ. GEN. JOHN W. GEARY,

OF CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

UNION STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE Will meet at the rooms of THE NATIONAL UNION CLUB, No. 1105 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, on WEDNESDAY, the 16th day of May inst., at three o'clock P. M. The attendance of every member of Committee is earnestly solicited.

FR. JORDAN, Chairman.

PHILADELPHIA, May 1st, 1866.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Notice is hereby given that hereafter all TRANSIENT advertisements received at this office must be paid for when handed in, except in the case of yearly advertisers, whose bills will be rendered quarterly, as usual. Advertisers will please make a note of this, as the rule of cash payments for advertisements of the character stated, will be inflexibly enforced.

The price of our paper is THREE CENTS at the counter or from newsboys. Served by carriers at FIFTEEN CENTS per week.

RECONSTRUCTION.

After five months of earnest enquiry and careful scrutiny, the Committee on Reconstruction of the House of Representatives have agreed upon a Report. The plan of Congress now stands before the country in contrast and competition with that of the Executive.

What is the plan of President JOHNSON? It is, substantially, that no disabilities, or conditions shall be imposed on the Southern States or their people for participation in the revolt. This is not the precise form of statement employed: for the laws, as they stand, impose certain disabilities, as in the case of the Test Oath. But the enforcement of these laws, and of all laws cognate thereto, are clearly irksome to the administration. In repeated instances these laws have been openly violated by the Treasury and Post Office Departments, and the modification or repeal of them has been strenuously recommended. Moreover, in the use of the Pardoning Power the President has run to an excess which compels the conclusion that he is fully determined to absolve all the rebel leaders from responsibilities to the laws incurred by them. Practically, therefore, the presidential proposition is to restore the eleven revolted States unconditionally, and to remit the political power of those States into the hands of the very men who took them out of the Union, and for four years drenched the country in fraternal blood.

The Congressional plan, as propounded by the Committee, embraces several Constitutional amendments; so as to abrogate all local laws now existing, and to prevent all future local enactments, by which one State does or may impair the rights of citizens of other States, or deprive any person within its jurisdiction of the equal protection of the laws; so as to apportion representation not on population, but on the number of actual voters, so as to exclude from the right of voting for President, and members of Congress, up to the year 1870, all persons who voluntarily adhered to the rebellion; so as to prevent the payment of the rebel debt, or any debt that may be hereafter incurred in making war on the general government, and the granting of compensation for slaves emancipated; and so as to give Congress power to enforce, by appropriate legislation, each of these conditions.

The Congressional plan also embraces two bills. The first of these provides for the restoration of the revolted States to full political rights by the admission of their delegations to the Senate and House of Representatives. The second bill debars from holding office under the United States the chiefs of the rebel government; the representatives and agents in foreign countries of the rebel government; heads of departments, officers of the army and navy, men educated in the national military and naval schools, judges of the Federal courts, and members of the thirty-sixth Congress who went into the rebellion; also, Governors of the Confederate States, and high officers in the Confederate army and navy, together with those who treated prisoners of war with barbarity.

If there is a point unnecessarily harsh in this Congressional plan, we fail to see it. It touches neither the lives, nor properties, nor personal liberties of the rebel leaders and their followers. It simply proposes to consolidate into law the demand often made by Mr. ANDREW JOHNSON that the rebels should take back seats. Nor does it contemplate the permanent or long exclusion of most of the rebels from influence or authority in the general government. It requires them to stand back for the short term of four years, until the passions engendered by the great contest shall subside. In the meantime they are not excluded from voting at elections for State and other local offices. The State governments are left in the hands of their respective populations as heretofore. There is no savor of revenge, no vindictiveness. All that appears is a due regard for the speedy and lasting tranquility of the country. Even the question of negro suffrage is not included in this adjustment. It is left, as the question of emancipation was originally in the Constitution, with inducements prompting to it, but with no demand for its consummation. We doubt if a triumphant party, in winding up a gigantic result, was ever so moderate, so just, so sagacious, so patriotic, so humane.

PRAY DON'T!

Some men, whom nature, out of spite, made supremely ridiculous, become so enamored of their disgusting idiocrasies, that they strive in every conceivable way to intensify the contempt they inspire.

Take an illustration. For several months the *Commercial* was a violent advocate for negro suffrage. It demanded, over and over again, that the Republicans in Congress should insist, as a condition of restoration, on the admission of the blacks, in all the Southern States, to an equal participation with the whites in the elective franchise. It strenuously urged the amendment of the Federal Constitution in a manner to secure this end. It clamored for immediate negro suffrage in Pennsylvania. In its eagerness for that end, and in its ignorance of the legal obstacles in the way, it importuned Mr. WM. D. KELLEY to have his friends in the Legislature start at once an amendment to the State Constitution. At this point we interposed, and called attention to the fact that the organic law, by its own terms, could not be amended for some years to come. Instantly our contemporary wheeled square about. It applauded our moderation; hurled anathemas at the heads of all radicals, and has continued ever since to cut the most extravagant capers imaginable.

Yesterday it pitched into Mr. THADDEUS STEVENS. In delight it exclaimed, "public opinion has been too much for him;" he "has broken down under the question of negro suffrage." That *is* rich! If the *Commercial* had only managed to substitute Mr. KELLEY's name for Mr. STEVENS's, the climax of its stultification would have been complete. It makes what amends it can for this omission, by going on to say, it does not think the news that Mr. STEVENS's Committee has broken down in attempting to carry out extreme notions, will create much regret." Who, more than the *Commercial*, urged the Committee to extreme notions?

If our neighbor had either self-respect, or respect for the loyal masses of this city and county, it would hide its head for shame.

SINCE it has become apparent the Senate will not confirm the nomination of WM. F. JOHNSTON for the Collectorship of the Twenty-third District, his new political associates have had their lips unlocked, and they tell with great plainness of speech what they think of him. Hear the *Post*:

"Mr. Cowan in selecting Mr. Johnston for the Collectorship in question, has made a most lamentable commencement in his determination to weed out the Radicals. The Senator has at the threshold of his reform made a most glaring and egregious blunder. It is surprising that he should have done so, for Ex-Governor Johnston's career has been open and notorious. He cares not for precedent or party, providing he is uppermost. In 1860 he supported Henry D. Foster for Governor against Curtin, and then voted for Lincoln for President two weeks after. When Curtin ran the second time Johnston took the stump for him, taking back all the abuse he had heaped upon him previously. In 1864 he refused to support Lincoln for re-election, because of his supposed conservatism, and he accordingly took a leading part in bringing out Fremont. In a few weeks after this, Johnston was again upon his knees apologizing for his offense, and professing all sorts of admiration for Mr. Lincoln. In his speeches during this canvass he "outradicalled" the most radical, and was entire master of the slang which denounced General McClellan and his supporters as "traitors and copperheads." Now, that the way to political preferment lies in the road of moderation, our fuming fanatical orator, who desired to have his political opponents not hung singly, but like onions, fifty on a string, has the assurance to appear as an advocate of moderation. If these facts are not known to Senator Cowan he has been an indifferent spectator to the course of Pennsylvania politicians; but if they are known to him, he makes a sorry beginning in having Johnston appointed to a lucrative position."

IN ALL CHRISTIAN COUNTRIES, it was formerly thought to be as clearly right for a husband to whip his wife as to chastise his child. Slight limitations were set up to the severity of punishment in either case. The rule seemed to be that of JESUS the Son of SIRACH, who counselled to beat often and thoroughly. It has been said of certain Celtic women that they were so enamored of being cudgelled that they suspected a diminution of affection on the part of their lords if their bruises were allowed to heal up. Those terrible creatures, the radicals, the innovators, challenged the rights of husbands in this matter, and finally obtained so large a following that it ceased to be respectable to exercise an authority that in the good old days of undisturbed conservatism no one was rash enough to dispute.

Chief-Justice BIGELOW, of Massachusetts, had before him, a few days ago, a wife who asked for divorcement from her husband on the ground of cruel treatment. It did not appear that the husband flogged her beyond what would have been adjudged moderate in the olden time; but the radicalism of his Honor was excited, and he did not stop to hear the evidence through, but cut the case short, saying the woman might forgive cruelty towards herself, but the Court would not.

THE St. Louis *Republican* calls special attention to a fact disclosed in a table relative to manufactures furnished by the Secretary of the Interior, in reply to a resolution offered in the House of Representatives. This fact is, that the average market value of the earnings of each individual engaged in manufacturing, is larger at the West than at the East. At the East, the yearly average is $1,485; at the West $1,696. This results from locating manufactures as near as practicable to the population by whom the products are to be used. The same branches of industry, prosecuted in England, with the expectation of finding an ultimate market in our Western States, would exhibit a still smaller annual value for each operative employed, than is presented in establishments on our Atlantic slope. Herein is found one of the strongest arguments in behalf of diversifying home industry.

POLITICAL.

INCIPIENT REBELLION IN WEST VIRGINIA.—A serious state of affairs exists in the interior of West Virginia. A petition signed by the Assessor of the second district of Wayne county, the Sheriff and Deputy Sheriff, has been forwarded to Gov. Boreman, asking for military assistance to enforce the civil law. The people are mostly secessionists, and the petitioners say that such is the state of feeling that they cannot execute the law. They have been beaten by mobs and shot at in the streets of Cassville, the county seat. The rioters swear that if they can't have power no one else shall.

THE recent attacks upon Gen. Grant by the Chicago *Times* and New York *News* are evidently the precursors of a systematic campaign against the Lieutenant General by the Copperhead press. That of the *Times* was contemptibly malignant, and of the *News* shrewdly insidious. Gen. Grant has steadily refused to accommodate himself in the slightest degree to the schemes of the Democratic politicians, and they have determined, if possible, to undermine him with the people.

PRESIDENT JOHNSON is anxious that soldiers shall be appointed to offices. He has proved his sincerity by appointing a good many soldiers to offices in the South. The people of the North, however, would have been much better pleased, if more of the recipients of his favor had worn blue, instead of gray, uniforms.

HON. J. W. THROCKMORTON, and Hon. George W. Jones have been invited by a number of influential citizens of Texas, headed by Hon. John Hancock, to run as the Johnson candidates for Governor and Lieutenant Governor.

S. J. RANDALL, Copper. M. C. of Philadelphia, congratulates himself that he can carry the Federal offices in that city over the heads of his four other Republican colleagues.

JUDGE NELSON, of the U. S. Circuit Court, has decided that the surplus earnings of a bank cannot be taxed as capital.

JOHN H. BLACK, of Allegheny township, a crippled soldier, is talked of for County Treasurer by the Union party.

PERSONAL ITEMS.

THE notorious Mrs. Cobb is still a constant visitor at the White House, and goes in and out with the same confident and commanding air as before her business of procuring and selling the President's pardon was so improperly interfered with by Gen. L. C. Baker.

THE wife of Jas. M'Cullough, a wealthy farmer residing near Newville, Cumberland county, committed suicide recently by hanging herself in the yard adjoining the family dwelling.

GEN. J. G. PEMBERTON has recently purchased the place of Mrs. Sullivan, three miles and a half from Warrenton, Virginia, containing 202 acres for five thousand dollars.

COL. SAM'L WILKESON and his sister, of Buffalo, are passengers on the Virginia, now in quarantine at New York with the cholera on board.

MATHEW WILSON, the celebrated Washington painter, has just finished striking portraits of Senators Wade and Wilson.

PROF. A. D. BACHE, Chief of our Coast Survey, is ill at the Capitol, beyond all hope of recovery.

BY the great explosion and conflagration at Detroit, on Thursday night, twenty eight lives are believed to have been lost.

GENERAL NEWS.

SUICIDE IN THE PRISON VAN.—A man named Wm. W. Lee, committed suicide in the prison van about nine o'clock this morning, at Fourth and Arch streets. He was arrested about one o'clock this morning at Second and Race streets for drunkenness, and was locked up in the Sixth Ward Police Station. He was committed by Alderman Godbou, and was placed in the van to be taken to prison, and soon after starting, cut his throat with a small pocket knife. He died in a few minutes. His body was taken to the Central Station, and Coroner Taylor held an inquest. The deceased was a single man about 33 years of age.—*Philadelphia Bulletin*, 28th.

AFFAIRS in Utah are assuming a somewhat serious aspect. Reports of an excited and belligerent state of feeling among the Mormons have been current of late, and it has been stated by a correspondent that mysterious murders had been committed. The Salt Lake *Union Vidette*, of the 4th inst., gives the details of the recent murder in that city of Mr. Brassfield, a quiet and peaceable citizen, who has made himself obnoxious to the Mormons by marrying a lady claimed as the wife in polygamy of one of their number. The *Vidette* says that in the opinion of the Gentile community, this murder was instigated by men high in authority in the Mormon church.

MR. A. K. SHURTLEFF, of Portland, went up to Boston last week, and observing two men somewhat over-attentive in their manner, took precaution to guard his watch and wallet accordingly; but in spite of his care his diamond pin, worth two hundred dollars, was stolen from under his nose without his knowledge. He went to the detectives, who proceeded straight to the Quincy House, effected an arrangement, and got back the pin on condition that "no questions should be asked." Mr. Shurtleff speaks in the highest terms of the Boston detectives.

A WEEK or two ago, a young man named Wallace Fisher disappeared from Chillicothe, leaving a letter declaring his intention to drown himself. On the 24th his body was found in the river. Fisher, who was about 25 years of age, was married last fall, and expected to go into business at Chillicothe. He was disappointed in obtaining the promised means, and, unable to obtain employment, became involved in debt, and, to end his worldly difficulties, threw himself into the river. When found, the pockets of the corpse were filled with stones.

WHEAT PROSPECTS IN THE SOUTH.—The Nashville *Gazette* learns that the prospects of the wheat crop in Georgia are most flattering. From Mr. Lollar, who has been traveling extensively throughout Alabama and Mississippi during the past two weeks, we have a similar report in regard to the prospects of the wheat crop in those States. A much larger amount of this staple cereal has been sown this year than ever before, and the blades are already two feet high.

IT is suggested by a Richmond paper that the "crater farm," where the celebrated "crater mine" was exploded before Petersburg, July 30th, 1864, be selected for a Southern cemetery, and that provision be made for this purpose by the different Southern States. The proprietor of the place says that the estate is so encumbered with Confederate dead that it is impossible to cultivate the soil without disturbing their remains.

THE Des Moines (Iowa) *Register* says: "There are complaints in several parts of the State that wheat fails to sprout. One man in Hardin county, as we learn from the Eldora *Ledger*, sowed three bushels of wheat to the acre, and got no result except a failure. There is something wrong with the seed wheat; but as yet we have heard no complaints from Polk county farmers."

IRISH GIRLS SELLING THEIR HAIR.—A French journal says that "Ireland furnishes the chief portion of the false plaits worn now-a-days by Parisian ladies, and if the Corps Legislatif would only bring in a bill for putting a tax on the importation of Irish hair into the Empire, France might, without damaging her budget, abolish the stamp duty on newspapers."

DURING the year ending March 1st, 1866, 10,457 applications were granted at Cincinnati City Infirmary, of which there were for provisions 3,102; medical attendance and medicines, 1,285; fuel 5,731; admitted to the City Infirmary, 678; at the soup-houses, 369 families; coffins and attendance, 392; total, 10,457.

THE armless man who for so many years, a great while ago, exhibited all over the country as "Master Nellis" is dead. He used to cut watch papers, play a base viol, cut profiles—which answered as well for one person as for another—with his toes, and do many things with his feet that made youthful eyes protrude.

SOMEBODY lately called representative Green Clay Smith, of Kentucky, a copperhead. Smith gave him the lie, and rushed at him with his cane, when the man drew his knife and received the blow of the cane upon it, cutting the cane completely in two. That ended the argument.

EDWARD MURRAY and wife, of Boston, Massachusetts, have brought a suit for five thousand dollars damages against the physicians of the Boston city hospital, for making an autopsy upon the body of their son, who died at the hospital without obtaining their consent.

"WHAT'S that ar a picter on?" asked a countryman in a paint store the other day of the proprietor, who was turning over some engravings. "That, sir, is Joshua commanding the sun to stand still." "Du tell! Which is Josh and which is his son?"

A PIOUS OFFICE.—The Emperor of Austria on Good Friday went through the annual ceremony of washing the feet of twelve poor old men and as many old women. The eldest of the group was ninety-six years of age, the youngest eighty five.

IN the Huntingdon County Court last week, James Snyder, the young burglar, who broke jail three times, was convicted on five indictments, and sentenced to four years and six months imprisonment in the Western Penitentiary.

THE Legislature of Tennessee (House) has refused, by 40 to 18, to admit to seats seven members who resigned in order to break up a quorum, and were re-elected. By this vote, they are declared ineligible to re-election.

MAYOR HARRIS, of Cincinnati, has issued orders to the police of that city that hereafter he will dismiss from the force any of them against whom a charge of mistreating a prisoner is substantiated.

A GREAT many of our cotemporaries are having a great deal to say about the Demoralizer Skirts. Better let these things alone. Many a man has got into difficulty by meddling too much.

THE editor of an Eastern paper says: "We have adopted the eight hour system in this office. We commence work at eight o'clock in the morning and close work at eight in the evening."

A BILL in relation to immigration has been prepared for presentation in the House. It prohibits the landing of passengers from emigrant ships which arrive here over loaded.

INCREASE OF MORMONISM IN NORWAY.—The number of Mormons in Norway is increasing. There are now 563 of them at Christiana, 198 of whom are men and 365 women.

SOME scoundrel, on Sunday night of last week poisoned three valuable cows belonging to Mr. Samuel Rupert, of Henderson township, Huntingdon county.

ENGLISH papers give a long report of the trial of a girl ten years old, on a charge preferred by a clergyman, of stealing a penny from a schoolmate.

THE flood in the Missouri river is more protracted than any that has occurred since 1844, and has been productive of great damage.

"PETER'S PENCE."—The amount of Peter's pence subscribed in Holland has reached more than 402,000 francs since this year began.

TWO MEN were killed by an explosion at the Galena lead mines on Wednesday, and others had a narrow escape.

JAY COOKE & CO., are said to be bidders for the Southwest Pacific Railroad.

LOST.

LOST—$20 REWARD.—Lost on the 17th of April, a POCKET BOOK containing $16. Ten dollars reward will be paid for information as to the party finding the pocket book, and twenty dollars for the recovery of the money. Information may be left with WESTLEY KERR, Red Lion Hotel. my1:2td

GROCERS.

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JOHN FLOYD & CO., Wholesale GROCERS, No. 173 Wood and 225 Liberty street, Pittsburgh, Pa. ap26:lyd

POLITICAL.

UNION REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.—The Union Republican voters of Allegheny County, are requested to meet at the usual places for holding elections, in the several Wards, Boroughs and Townships, on SATURDAY, MAY 26TH, and elect two delegates from each election district, to a County Convention, to be held on TUESDAY, MAY 29TH, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of nominating a County Ticket, and transacting such other business as may be properly brought before it.

The Republican voters of that portion of Allegheny county lying in the 23d Congressional District, will, at the same time and places, elect two delegates from each election district, to meet in Convention, at City Hall, Allegheny, on TUESDAY, MAY 29th, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress in said district.

The primary elections in the townships will be held between the hours of four and six o'clock, and in the cities and boroughs between the hours of four and seven o'clock P. M. In the cities and boroughs the elections shall be by ballot, and in the townships by marking or by ballot.

By order of the Committee.

W. J. GILMORE, Chairman.

WM. ANDERSON, R. W. THOMAS, Secretaries.

CONGRESS, 22d DISTRICT.

HON. J. K. MOORHEAD

Having placed himself at the disposal of his friends, in response to their call made on him, his name is now presented by them as a candidate for nomination for Congress for the 22d District, subject to the action of the Union Republican County Convention. ap7:te

CONGRESS

GENERAL JAS. S. NEGLEY

IS A CANDIDATE IN THE 22d DISTRICT. mh28:lnd

CONGRESS.—The friends of

HON. JOHN P. PENNEY

Will present his name to the Convention of the Union party, for nomination as a candidate for Congress in the 22d District. mh13:6wd

FOR SHERIFF,

SAMUEL B. CLULEY,

Subject to the action of the Union Republican County Convention. mh23:ted&wF

FOR SHERIFF,

CHARLES BARNES,

Late Colonel Sixth Reg. Pa. Heavy Artillery and Brev. Brig. Gen. U. S. A., subject to the action of the Union Convention. mh22:d&wF

FOR SHERIFF,

JOSEPH ROSS,

Of the First Ward, Pittsburgh, will be a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the action of the Union Republican County Convention. mh14:te

FOR SHERIFF,

GEN. S. B. M. YOUNG,

Late Colonel Fourth Pennsylvania Cavalry. mh21:te

FOR SHERIFF,

COL. JAMES M'K. SNODGRASS,

Of McKeesport, (late of the 9th Pa. Reserves,) will be a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the ensuing County Convention. mh20:te

FOR ASSEMBLY,

JOSIAH W. ELLS,

Of Pittsburgh, subject to the action of the Union Republican County Convention. ap5:te

FOR ASSEMBLY,

THOMAS A. ROWLEY,

Will be a candidate for Assembly, subject to the action of the Republican Union Convention. ap27:te

FOR ASSEMBLY,

SAMUEL CHADWICK,

Of Collins Township, will be a candidate for Assembly, subject to the action of the Union Republican County Convention. ap5:te

FOR ASSEMBLY,

MAJ. GEN. J. B. KIDDOO,

Formerly of the 63d and 137th Pa. Vols., and 6th and 22d U. S. colored troops, and wounded severely in front of Richmond, will be a candidate for Assembly before the Republican County Convention. ap12:te

FOR ASSEMBLY,

THE FRIENDS OF

HON. GEORGE WILSON,

Of Pitt Township, will present his name as a candidate for Assembly, before the next Union Republican County Convention.

PITT TOWNSHIP. ap13:te

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

SAMUEL NEELY, SR.,

Of Manchester, (formerly of Sewickley township,) will be a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. ap24:te

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

GEORGE HAMILTON,

Of Pittsburgh, subject to the action of the Union Republican County Convention. ap5:te

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

CHARLES PUGH,

Of Manchester, will be a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the action of the Union Republican County Convention. my2:d&wte

FOR CLERK OF COURTS.

JOHN M. LARIMER,

Of Chartiers township, subject to the action of the Union Republican County Convention. my1:te

FOR CLERK OF THE ORPHANS' COURT.

HORACE S. SNOWDEN,

Of Pittsburgh, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. ap17:te

CLERK OF THE COURTS.

JOHN G. BROWN,

Of Hampton Township, late Private Co. H, 102d Reg't Penn'a Vols. ap5:te

FOR CLERK OF COURTS.

JOSEPH BROWNE,

Late of 102d Pennsylvania Volunteers and 5th Pennsylvania Artillery. Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. mh31:te

FOR CLERK OF COURTS.

DR. WILLIAM J. GILMORE,

Of Upper St. Clair Township. mh29:d&wteF

FOR REGISTER,

EB. WILLIAMS, JR.,

Of Pittsburgh, subject to the action of the Union Republican County Convention. ap5:te

FOR REGISTER,

JOHN SMALL,

Of Pittsburgh, subject to the action of the Union Republican County Convention. ap25:te

FOR REGISTER,

JOSEPH H. GRAY,

Of Penn Township, (late of Co. E, 105th Pa. Reg., wounded and disabled at the battle of Fair Oaks,) subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. ap19:te

FOR REGISTER,

R. D. HUMES,

Of Tarentum Borough, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. ap10:te

FOR RECORDER.

HENRY SNIVELY,

Of the Seventh Ward, Pittsburgh, will be a candidate for the above office, subject to the action of the Union Republican County Convention. ap28:te

FOR RECORDER.

ABDIEL M'CLURE,

Of Mifflin Township, will be a candidate for Recorder, subject to the action of the Union Republican County Convention. ap24:te

FOR RECORDER.

J. B. COPELAND,

Of Elizabeth Township, will be a candidate for Recorder, subject to the decision of the next Union Republican County Convention. ap11:te

HOTELS.

THE NEW

UNION DEPOT HOTEL,

Will be open for public accommodation on THURSDAY, MAY 3d.

RESTAURANT IN BASEMENT, open at ALL HOURS, day and night, Sundays excepted.

my1:1wd IRA A. CHURCH, Sup't.

SUMMER. STETSON HOUSE. LONG BRANCH, NEW JERSEY. This new and elegant Hotel will be opened for the season on or about the 15th of June next. This hotel is particularly arranged for the comfort of families. Rooms can be secured for the season by application at the Astor House, New York, to J. P. M. & C. A. STETSON. On the 30th of April the stockholders meet at the Astor House to view the plans and locate their rooms. A few shares of stock remain undisposed of. Parties wishing to subscribe can do so by application to J. D. CORLIES, Treasurer, 153 Broadway, New York. my1:14teod

CO-PARTNERSHIP.

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—Having this day associated with me my son, W. J. FRANCE, we will continue the GROCERY AND TEA BUSINESS, at the old stand, No. 51 FEDERAL STREET, under the style of WILLIAM FRANCE & SON, and would respectfully solicit for the new firm a continuance of the patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed upon myself.

WM. FRANCE.

ALLEGHENY CITY, April 2d, 1866.—ap11:2wd

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—We have this day associated with us as partner and General Manager of the Foundry and Machine business, in which we are now engaged, Mr. JAMES NELSON, formerly of the well known firm of J. Nelson & Co., and Stackhouse & Nelson, of this city.

HUGH M. BOLE, HUNTER ORR.

PITTSBURGH, April 1st, 1866. ap10:1md

PORK PACKERS.

JAMES LIPPINCOTT,

Pork Packer,

Dealer in S. C. HAMS, BACON, BARREL PORK, DRIED BEEF, LARD, LARD OIL, GREASE, TALLOW, &c. would respectfully solicit a share of the trade, No. 2 SEVENTH STREET, Pittsburgh. fe21:bmd

NOTICES.

NOTICE.—All persons interested are hereby notified that the undersigned Viewers, appointed to view and assess damages for the opening of DAVIS ALLEY, in the Second Ward, Allegheny, from Webster Street to Pasture Lane, will meet on the premises on FRIDAY, MAY 11th, 1866, at 2 o'clock P. M., to fulfill the duties of their appointment.

JOSEPH FLEMING, ARTHUR HOBSON, THOMAS HALL.

ap25:2wd

NOTICE.—The holders of Coupon Bonds issued by the Fourth Ward, Allegheny City, School Board, for the payment of bounties to volunteers, are hereby notified that the bonds will be redeemed on presentation to the Treasurer, D. HENDRIE, Esq., at the Second National Bank of Allegheny. Interest will not be paid on them after May 4th, 1866.

R. B. FRANCIS, President of the Board.

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NOTICE.—I have this day disposed of my store, corner of Federal and Lacock streets, Allegheny city, to

MESSRS. M'CLELLAND & CO.,

And would cheerfully recommend my successors to my former patrons and the public generally. Mr. JAMES R. McCLELLAND, has been in my employment for over four years, and has had charge of the business in all its details, and Mr. S. H. DEUIT is also a practical druggist. I therefore take pleasure in recommending them as having a thorough knowledge of the Drug business in all its branches, fully competent and reliable. All accounts due me will be settled at my store, No. 37 Wood street, Pittsburgh.

GEORGE A. KELLY.

ALLEGHENY CITY, April 19, 1866.

WM. J. KANE. J. R. McCLELLAND. SAM'L H. DEUIT.

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NOTICE.

The undersigned, Commissioners named in the Act of Assembly, entitled "An Act to Incorporate

THE PITTSBURGH GAS SAVINGS COMPANY,"

Approved the 12th day of April, A. D., 1866, will open Books and receive subscriptions to the Capital Stock of said Company at the office of the CASH INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 57 Fourth street, Pittsburgh,

ON THE 21ST DAY OF MAY, A. D., 1866,

At 10 o'clock A. M.

WILLIAM PHILLIPS,
JAMES O'CONNOR,
JNO. W. CHALFANT,
R. BIDDLE ROBERTS,
W. K. NIMICK,
THOMAS SMITH,
Commissioners.

ap21:1md

NOTICE TO OWNERS OF DRAYS, HACKS, &c.—Notice is hereby given to all owners of Drays, Carts, Carriages, Buggies, &c., whether resident or non-resident in the City of Pittsburgh, to pay their License at the Treasurer's office of the City of Pittsburgh, FORTHWITH, in accordance with an Act of Assembly, approved March 30, 1861, and an Ordinance of the Councils of the City of Pittsburgh, passed April 16, 1866, and all persons who neglect or refuse to take out Licenses will be subject to a penalty, to be recovered before the Mayor, double the amount of the License.

The old metal plates of previous years must be returned at the time Licenses are taken out, or pay 25 cents therefor.

RATES OF LICENSE:

Each One Horse Vehicle	$7 50
Each Two Horse Vehicle	12 00
Each Four Horse Vehicle	15 00
Each Two Horse Hack	15 00

Omnibusses and Timber Wheels drawn by two horses, $18 00 each. For each additional horse used in any of the above vehicles, $4.00.

W. EICHBAUM, City Treasurer.

PITTSBURGH, February 5th, 1866.

COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICE, PITTSBURGH, April 24, 1866.

IN PURSUANCE of the 21st Section of an Act relating to Allegheny County, approved the 1st day of May, 1861, and of the Amendment to said Section, approved the 29th day of March, 1866, I, DAVID AIKEN, Jr., Treasurer of said county, hereby give notice that the Duplicates of the several Wards, Boroughs and Townships will be open, and I will be prepared to receive the County, State, Poor and Work-House Taxes for 1866, on and after the FIRST DAY OF MAY, 1866. Taxes can be paid at the Treasurer's Office until the FIRST DAY OF AUGUST with a deduction of FIVE PER CENT. DISCOUNT for prompt payment to any person paying the whole amount of their taxes. There will be no deduction allowed on taxes paid during the month of August. There will be TEN PER CENT. ADDED to all taxes remaining unpaid on the first of September. ap25:6wd

NOTICE—The undersigned, Commissioners named in the Act of Assembly, entitled "An Act to Incorporate the

ENTERPRIZE INSURANCE COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH,"

Approved the 27th day of March, A. D., 1866, will open Books and receive subscriptions to the Capital Stock of said Company, on the

19th Day of May, A. D., 1866,

At 10 o'clock A. M., at the FOURTH NATIONAL BANK, in the City of Pittsburgh, Penna.

JAMES O'CONNOR,
WILLIAM PHILLIPS,
WILLIAM BAGALEY,
C. W. RICKETSON,
JAMES HERDMAN,
R. BIDDLE ROBERTS,
Commissioners.

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TRADESMEN'S NATIONAL BANK, PITTSBURGH, March 28th, 1866.

THE NOTES OF THE CRAWFORD COUNTY BANK, Meadville; OIL CITY BANK, Oil City; VENANGO BANK, Franklin, and PETROLEUM BANK, Titusville, will not hereafter be redeemed by this Bank.

mh29:tf GEO. T. VAN DOREN, Cashier.

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An immense stock of very select and well grown GREENHOUSE AND BEDDING PLANTS, for sale at the Oakland Greenhouses.

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CONTROLLER'S OFFICE, CITY OF ALLEGHENY.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE received [illegible] VESTRY STREET, [illegible] SHEFFIELD STREET, [illegible] PERRY STREET, [illegible] IRWIN AVENUE, [illegible] UNION AVENUE, [illegible] GRAHAM ALLEY, [illegible] PIKE STREET, [illegible] CENTRAL STREET, [illegible] R. B. FRANCIS, City Controller.

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RECONSTRUCTION.

Views of the Hon. Henry Winter Davis—All Must Vote.

[From the Missouri Democrat.]

In May last, in response to inquiry, the Hon. Henry Winter Davis wrote a letter setting forth with his characteristic clearness and cogency his views upon the problem of reconstruction. This letter has hitherto remained unpublished. The consent of Mr. Davis to the publication having been obtained, a friend at Washington transmits to us the manuscript, and we have the pleasure of presenting to our readers a document which strikes us as ranking among the most masterly expositions of the subject involved, that has yet appeared. Following is the letter:

BALTIMORE, May 27, 1865.

MY DEAR SIR: Please accept my acknowledgments for your kind note.

I wish I could give you a short and satisfactory answer to your brief and pregnant question, touching our prospects under President Johnson.

The future of the nation is summed up in the restoration of political power to the States lately in Rebellion.

Of what the President's policy is on that topic, I know nothing.

The conditions of the problem are plain, and the consequences of the several possible solutions follow with logical certainty. It rests with the President, in the state in which *Congress* has left the question, to take the initiative; and the mode in which that is done will determine all that follows. Whatever State Governments he allows to be organized and to elect Representatives and Senators to Congress will be recognized by Congress in December, in all probability.

None exist now in any State which rebelled; none can be organized legally without the assent of the United States; and no steps to secure that assent can be taken without his permission.

The President's only power over the question rests in his right to refuse permission for any convention or election to be held unless on terms satisfactory to him; but that power is decisive. If he refuse, to permit any election or convention to be held, things will await the solution of Congress.

If he permit the aggregate white population of the South, qualified to vote under the old governments abrogated by the Rebellion, to organize State Governments, that installs the revolutionary faction power in the States and fills Congress with their Representatives and Senators.

That is to place the scepter in the hands from which we have just wrested the sword.

If the President attempt to discriminate the loyal from the disloyal, and exclude from voting all who have given aid and comfort to the Rebellion, a mere handful of the population will remain, wholly incompetent to form or maintain a State Government, and sure to be overwhelmed by the political counter-revolution at the next election, which will restore power to the leaders of the Rebellion. While it stands under the protection of the United States, it will constitute an odious oligarchy, disposing of the lives and property of the great mass of their fellow citizens, without any responsibility, and controlling the national legislation by the people for whom they vote.

This result is unavoidable. The whole mass of the population of the South has given aid and comfort to the Rebellion. The war was made by the secession of the Union men to the Rebel faction. It is idle to talk of a quiescent mass of loyal men overborne by violence. It was the Union men who passed the ordinance of Secession in Virginia and who made it effectual after it was passed. In no State was the Rebellion dangerous without the active aid of those opposed to Secession.

But the United States had no friends in the Rebel States against those States, and *they have none to-day.*

The Union men of the South preferred Union and peace to disunion; they deplored the outbreak of the war, but they never hesitated a moment which side to take. If there was to be war, they were for their States and against the United States. There was no respectable number of Union men willing to aid the United States in compelling submission to the Constitution, and there are none now. *All* submit to *force*. Many are willing to acquiesce in the unavoidable. *All* are willing to govern the United States again, since independence is impossible, but all were also willing to aid the Rebellion, and not an assault and battery was committed for the United States from the Potomac to the Gulf of Mexico.

The Union men of the south did not merely bow to overbearing force, but they hastened to seek places in the Legislatures, the Congress, the Executive mansions, and gave it a countenance and support without which it must have fallen in a year, and when its cause was hopeless they were quiet and submissive, and did not rise to aid the United States.

It is certainly to this class of the white population that we must look for aid in restoring civil government in these States, but it is a great delusion to suppose them either bold or strong enough to meet and defy the united and energetic faction of revolutionists which drove them into rebellion. If they be in power, they will again do the will of the resolute and reckless men who stood behind and around them, and no legal line discriminates them from the Rebel mass.

If this discrimination be attempted by the oath to support the *Constitution* of the United States, *everybody* will take it and nobody will be excluded.

If the *leaders* of the Rebellion, civil and military, be excluded, though willing to submit and take the oath, the *mass* of the Rebel faction will be admitted; and that will be the controlling and determining element in constituting the State Government and selecting Representatives and Senators; and the practical result is the same as if *nobody* were excluded.

If either of these forms be accepted by the President and recognized by Congress, it will instantly change the balance of political power in the United States.

It is probable the people who have saved the nation are not content to accept its consequences without a murmur.

None of the white population of the Southern States is interested in paying the public debt or imposing taxes to meet its interest. They hold none of it. It was created to subjugate them to the laws. It has been consumed in their overthrow. It is to be paid in great part out of their substance. It has annihilated their public debt. It has filled the land with ostracized officers, with wounded soldiers, with an odious free negro population, lately their slaves, and still under political control.

If the Whites be restored to political power their representatives are interested in repudiating that Public Debt, in refusing to pay its interests, in restoring their officers to the army and navy, in placing their wounded on the pension roll, in indemnifying their friends for losses by war or confiscation or forced tax sales, in restoring Slavery under the forms of apprenticeship or fixed wages and compulsory service and discriminating and oppressive legislation. The effort has already been made in Tennessee, and the spirit which dictated it pervades the whole South, and will find status ready to its hand in every State. In Congress, a minority can arrest legislation. A majority of either House can compel submission to any terms, under penalty of arresting or disorganizing the Government.

The representatives from the States lately in rebellion will form a powerful and hostile minority, and if they do not find enough enemies of the Government from the States now represented to give them a majority in one House for some of the purposes above indicated, the near past throws no light on the near future. The prospect of political disorganization will present few terrors to people still hot with Rebellion, smarting under the overthrow, and quite as content to ruin as to rule the country.

To expect them to join in electing a Republican President would be an amiable delusion which the first election would dispel; and they might find it some indemnity for emancipation if the increased vote they would cast in the name of their freed slaves should happen to decide the contest and elevate them to power.

If the people are ready for these consequences then there is no difficulty in restoring political power to the Southern States. Louisiana or Virginia will serve as models; or other forms will grow with mushroom rapidity.

But if it be important that the *friends* and not the *enemies* of the Government shall continue to govern it, other measures must be taken.

The State Governments in the South must be placed in hands interested to maintain the authority of the United States. It is not enough that conquered people are willing to submit to entitle them to govern. The United States must find friends interested and able to suppress hostility to its authority and to discharge all the functions of government, State and National, in the face of every disloyal or hostile power. And the power of those who rebelled must be curbed by those who joined the Rebellion reluctantly and are anxious to atone for their error or weakness.

This can be done *only* by recognizing the negro population as an integral part of the *people of the Southern States; and by refusing to permit any State Government to be organized on any other basis than universal suffrage and equality before the law.*

Whatever anomalies may have been winked at during the era of Slavery, it may well be doubted if, without a serious blow at our principles, any government can be recognized as republican in form which excludes from suffrage and equal laws a majority of the citizens of the States, as would be the case in South Carolina and Mississippi, or half the citizens, as would be the case in Alabama, Georgia, Louisiana, and Virginia, if the negro citizens be disfranchised.

It is certain that Governments which declared them equal before the law, and recognized universal suffrage, would be republican in form and substance also. It is equally certain that such a constitution in the Southern States is the only one consistent with national peace and safety, and Congress has the right, and I think, ought to refuse to recognize any State Government in those States not on that basis.

But the white people of the States which rebelled will not organize Governments on that basis. No considerable portion of the white population of those States is in favor of it. The loyal are as much against it as the Rebel leaders.

None will adopt it of themselves, nor will they adopt it on the request and under the influence of the President.

But all will submit to it if exacted, and accept it if unavoidable.

To submit the question to the loyal voters of the State assumes the existence of a State Government and a Constitution defining the right of suffrage, and making loyalty a condition.

But there are no such Constitutions in any state which rebelled. The United States have refused to recognize any State governments in *any* of those States.

There are *States*, and people of those States—both known to the Constitution of the United States.

And the negroes are as integral a part of the people of the State as the Whites. Both are citizens; neither has a right to exclude the other; neither can speak in the name of the State for the other; it is the equal right of both to be heard and represent in constituting their common Government, and any proposal to submit the question of the political or civil rights of the negroes to the arbitrament of the Whites is as unjust and as absurd as to submit the question of the political rights of the Whites to the arbitrament of the negroes—with this difference, that the negroes are loyal everywhere and the great body of the Whites disloyal everywhere.

The problem therefore is solved by a simple appeal to the people of the States.

No election can be held, no convention assemble, no political authority be legally exercised in any of those States but by the will of the United States, and for the present, till Congress speaks, by the will of the President.

If, therefore, the President will declare that no election shall be held unless the negro population have a free and equal voice, that no convention shall assemble which they have not helped to elect, that none shall proceed to frame a government unless in the beginning universal suffrage and equality before the law be declared its fundamental basis, the problem is solved.

If those conditions be accepted, the Constitution will be presented Congress, and the government recognized which it forms.

If they be not accepted, the President will hold the State till Congress declare how they shall be governed.

If the problem be not dealt with in this way, or some such way, it will be solved in an adverse sense.

If it be not solved *rightly* it threatens to generate a barren and bitter agitation, sure to result disastrously to those who propose the political enfranchisement of the negroes, and to consolidate the union of the enemies of the Government in the Rebel States into an irresistible power, which must wrest the Government from the hands of those who have saved it. This coalition is probable in any event; but on this question it is certain and fatal.

The negro population must be recognized by the President and Congress as an integral part of the *people* of the State, in the view of the Constitution of the United States, without whose concurrence and full participation in power no State Government will be recognized in any State which rebelled, or it will remain ostracised and outcast for another generation, and the enemies of the Government will wrest it from those who saved it.

To permit the whites to disfranchise the negroes is to permit those who have been our enemies to ostracise our friends. The negroes are the only persons in those States who have not been in arms against us. They have always and everywhere been friendly and not hostile to us. They alone have a deep interest in the continued supremacy of the United States, for their freedom depends on it. On them alone can we depend to suppress a new insurrection. They alone will be inclined to vote for the friends of the Government in all the Southern States. They alone have sheltered, fed and pioneered our starved and haunted brethren through the swamps and woods of the South in their flight from those who now aspire to rule them.

The shame and folly of deserting the negroes are equaled by the wisdom of recognizing and protecting their power.

They will form a clear and controlling majority against the united white vote in South Carolina, Mississippi and Louisiana.

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United in all those States, they will be a majority in many congressional and legislative districts, and that alone suffices to break the terrible and menacing unity of the Southern vote in Congress.

If organized and led by men having their confidence, the negroes will prove as powerful and loyal at the polls as they have already, in the face of equal clamor and equal prejudice, proved themselves under such leaders on the field of battle.

To those who say they are unfit for the franchise I reply they are more fit than Secessionists.

If they be ignorant they are not more so than large masses of the white voters of the South, or the rabble which is tumbled on the wharves of New-York and runs straight to the polls.

However ignorant, they know enough to be on the side of the Government, and the intelligence of the master has not yet taught him that wisdom.

They may be influenced by the master, but he must touch his hat to them at least, and it will be an open question whether they will vote with the master any more than they fought on his side. It is certain the Northern immigrant will find the negro a safe ally, and arguments on his lips will lose no weight by their Yankee origin.

It is said not to be safe for the master to visit his plantations in Georgia; when he does he will hardly carry much influence politically.

I repeat that in this problem are involved the issues of life and death.

If the negro population be recognized as an integral portion of the people of the States which rebelled, and governments be organized on the basis of universal suffrage and equality before the law, Congress ought to recognize them, and the problem is solved forever.

If governments be allowed by the President to be organized on the basis of the exclusion of the mass of the negro population, then Congress ought to refuse to recognize them, but I fear it will not refuse.

If the question be submitted to the vote of any portion of the white population, the negroes will be excluded from power.

The result entails on us a barren agitation instead of a beneficial settlement. It carries with it a division of the friends of the Government and threatens to elevate its enemies to power.

For premature agitators, I have small sympathy. They are cocks which crow at midnight; they do not herald the dawn, but merely disturb natural rest by untimely clamor.

But this is a question of political dynamics, which presses now for solution, and on it depends the chief fruits of the war.

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DAY EXPRESS—Leaves Pittsburgh at 2:30 A. M., stopping at principal stations. Arrives at Altoona at 7:55 A. M.; Tyrone, 8:33 A. M.; Bellefonte, [illegible] A. M.; Lock Haven, 12:10 P. M.; Harrisburg, 1:15 P. M.; Baltimore, 5:30 P. M.; New York, via Allentown, 10:35 P. M.; Philadelphia, 5:40 P. M.; and New York, via Philadelphia, at 10:27 P. M.

CINCINNATI EXPRESS—Leaves Pittsburgh at 9:30 A. M., stopping at nearly all stations; Altoona at 3:00 P. M.; Harrisburg, 8:30 P. M.; arrive at Philadelphia at 1:10 A. M. By this line passengers are transferred at Union Depot, West Philadelphia, directly to Express train for New York, reaching there at [illegible] A. M.

PHILADELPHIA EXPRESS—Leaves Pittsburgh at 4:10 P. M., stopping only at principal stations. Arrives at Latrobe 6:00 P. M.; Altoona, 9:30 P. M.; Harrisburg, 2:35 A. M.; Baltimore, 7:15 A. M.; New York, via Philadelphia, [illegible] P. M., via Allentown, 10:00 A. M., and Philadelphia, [illegible] A. M. Sleeping Cars run through on this train from Pittsburgh to Baltimore and Philadelphia, and to New York via Allentown.

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*Breakfast. †Dinner. [illegible]
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The Church Train leaves Wall Station every Sunday at 9:15 A. M., and arrives in Pittsburgh at 10:[illegible] A. M. Returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 12:52 P. M., and arrives at Wall's Station at 2:00 P. M.

Returning Trains arrive in Pittsburgh as follows:

Mail	1:5[illegible] A. M.
Fast Line	2:[illegible] A. M.
First Wall's Station Accommodation	6:20 A. M.
Brinton Accommodation No. 1	7:50 A. M.
Second Wall's Station Accommodation	8:50 A. M.
Johnstown Accommodation	9:50 A. M.
Braddock's Accommodation No. 1	1:00 P. M.
Baltimore Express	1:40 P. M.
Philadelphia Express	2:05 P. M.
Third Wall's Station Accommodation	2:21 P. M.
Braddock's Accommodation No. 2	5:50 P. M.
Wall's Accommodation, No. 4	7:01 P. M.
Altoona Accommodation and Emigrant	10:00 P. M.

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On and after November 19th, 1865, trains will leave as follows, viz:

Leave Pittsburgh.	For Chicago.	For Cleveland	For Wheeling
Express	2:50 A. M.	2:50 A. M.	
Express	1:45 P. M.	2:00 P. M.	2:00 P. M.
Express	7:18 P. M.		5:05 P. M.
Mail	7:00 A. M.	6:00 A. M.	6:00 A. M.
For Newcastle and Erie			[illegible] A. M.

Returning, arrive at Pittsburgh:
P., Ft. W. & C. R. W.—1:50 A. M., 2:10 P. M., 7:00 P. M.
C. & P. R. R.—11:15 A. M., [illegible] P. M., [illegible]

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Leave Allegheny for
NEW BRIGHTON—9:30 A. M., 11:00 A. M., 4:00 and 5:40 P. M.
ROCHESTER—2:00 P. M.
NEW CASTLE—3:50 P. M.
ECONOMY—[illegible] P. M.
WELLSVILLE—6:50 P. M.
Returning, arrive at Allegheny
P., Ft. W. & C. R. W.—7:30 A. M., 2:30 P. M., 4:30 P. M. and 12 [illegible] A.
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MONDAY, MARCH 12th, 1866,
Trains will leave and arrive at the UNION DEPOT as follows:

	Departs.	Arrives.
Fast Line	2:50 A. M.	9:00 A. M.
Mail	6:20	3:50 P. M.
Express	2:20 P. M.	1:10 A. M.
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On and after
THURSDAY, MARCH 15TH, 1866,
The trains will leave the Depot, corner of Ross and Water streets, as follows:

	Leaves Pittsburgh.	Arrives Pittsb'g.
Mail to and from Uniontown	7:00 A. M.	6:00 P. M.
Express, " "	3:30 P. M.	10:00 A. M.
West Newton Accommodation	6:35 P. M.	8:40 A. M.
First McKeesport Accom'n	11:00 A. M.	6:50 A. M.
Second "	10:00 P. M.	2:00 P. M.
Braddock's "	6:10 P. M.	2:45 P. M.
Sunday Church Train to and from West Newton	1:30 P. M.	10:00 A. M.

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		Leaves.	Arrives.
Mail, to and from Mahoning		7:30 A. M.	6:00 P. M.
Express,	do	4:00 P. M.	10:05 A. M.
Soda Works Accommodation			7:50 A. M.
Kiskiminitas	do	2:30 P. M.	
First Hulton	do	9:00 A. M.	11:20 A. M.
Parnassus	do	11:00 A. M.	2:00 P. M.
Second Hulton	do	6:00 P. M.	5:40 P. M.
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17	"	PILES, internal or external	50
18	"	OPTHALMY, sore, inflamed eyes	50
19	"	CATARRH, acute or chronic, influenza	50
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FINANCE AND TRADE.

MONDAY, April 30, 1866.

Gold, according to the noon reports from New York to-day, had declined about three per cent, as compared with Saturday, being quoted at 126¾.

In view of the extraordinary ease in the money market, present and prospective, it is the prevalent conviction that the home investment demand for government bonds will prove, for some time to come, sufficiently vigorous and comprehensive to prevent any considerable accumulation of them or any material depression in their price in the leading markets of the country, should not another dollar's worth of them be taken away on European account, which is not at all probable; or even should any important amount of those already marketed and owned abroad be sent home for realization, which is even much more improbable.

—The Parkersburg *Times* gives glowing accounts of the oil wells of West Virginia. It says: "All the wells at Burning Springs are yielding some 2,500 barrels per day, as near as we can gather. The wells on White Oak are yielding, of heavy oil, 1,500 a day. The Lick Run 300 barrels, the Horseneck 150. There are outside wells yielding from 200 to 300 barrels per day, beside the Hughes River region, of which we have very little knowledge. The product of oil in this vicinity is altogether about 6,000 barrels per day, the most of it fine lubricating oil that will run from 40 to 120 per gallon."

—A writer in the Detroit *Post* states that the amount of capital invested in the Lake Superior Copper Mines is about $50,000,000, while the present market value of the stock is not over $10,000,000—which depreciation he attributes to the pressure of taxes, and the high price of labor, supplies, &c. The product of copper increased from $4,000,000 in 1862, to $15,000,000 in 1863; but that of 1866 will not exceed $12,000,000, and a still further decrease is anticipated. The same writer after that "it would not be difficult to prove that the losses in the Lake Superior mines, during the last year, have exceeded all the capital invested in foreign ores. The heavy taxes imposed by Government on domestic copper must be met by corresponding duties on the imported article, in order to render copper mining at all profitable.

—The Philadelphia *Press*, of Saturday, says:

The European news, reporting a decline of 1 cent in five-twenties had not the effect in prices here that might have been expected; the market was too strong to be affected by any transient cause whatever. The investment demand continues so urgent and the available supplies so small that prices still further advanced, the long bonds ½, and five-twenties ¾. Strange to say, the advance was the most decided in five-twenties of '62, the security which is in greatest favor abroad. This may be accounted for by the fact that the leading foreign banking houses in this city and New York; in the full conviction that the German war would depress our bonds, sold short largely, and being now compelled to cover, find it impossible to do so except at a considerable advance. This unsuccessful speculative movement on the part of the foreign bankers show how small is the amount of available bonds on the market, and furnishes the best evidence that could be given that our people are too well satisfied with their investment to part with it at current rates. For a day or two a number of speculative sales were made, "to arrive" at 105½, seller's option, thirty days, without interest; but these did not, in the least degree, arrest the upward course of prices, resulting from the enormous investment demand, which has absorbed national securities and withdrawn them from the market in such huge amounts as to create an absolute scarcity of the favorite stocks, especially of the gold-bearing bonds. There never was a time when the gold bonds were in such extremely meagre supply in the open market as they are at present, and all who had deliveries to make yesterday found in this state of affairs a source of much embarrassment. Any effort to make prompt execution of large orders would assuredly lead to a decided rise in quotations, especially for the five-twenties of '62.

Boston Wool Market.

BOSTON, April 28.—The wool market is firm for all, and higher for some descriptions of staple, with large aggregate transactions during the past week. In view of the reduced stocks—which are nevertheless much larger here than at any other point upon the seaboard—holders are much less disposed to slaughter the commodity than they have been for a long time past. The bottom has evidently been touched; consumers seem to be well aware of it, and are operating quite freely ahead of their present wants, designing to avoid the contingency of entering the market toward the close of the season by bridging over to the new clip.

Accounts from the interior of New York and the West, represent the country as very bare of wool, farmers and operators not caring to take the risk of holding over this season. The receipts are now quite light at all points of the seaboard, and consumers must make the most of the supply now on the market.

Private sales of domestic for the week foot up 825,000 lbs, (the greater portion being pulled wool) at a range of 45@70c for fleece, and 35@62c for pulled. Included are lots of Western fleece at 45@55c for medium and fine, Michigan and Indiana do at 50@60c, Ohio do at 55@62c, 25,000 lbs New York at 55c and the balance of the same lot at 57c, 10,000 lbs medium Ohio at 56c, 10,000 lbs Washington Co., Pa., (an inferior lot) at 64c, 20,000 lbs choice Ohio at 67½c, 100,000 lbs select Pennsylvania at supposed 68c, 5,000 lbs double extra do at 74c, and some small and very choice parcels ranging from 68@72½c. In pulled the sales include several large sized lots at 35@43c for Nos. 2 and 1, 50@55c for supers and 55@62c for extras, closing firm at these rates. In foreign, buyers have nearly cleared the market of Cape, at a range of 35@42c. Mestiza is plenty and dull at 25@55c. In Mediterranean, sales of 2 bales Donskoi on private terms.—*Bulletin*.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, April 30.—Cotton firmer but very quiet, at 34c for Middling. Flour dull, at 10c lower on Common and Medium grades, at $7,30@8,40 for Extra State; $9@9,25 for Common to Good Shipping Brands Extra R. H. O., and $9,30@12,35 for Trade Brands, closing dull. Whisky dull, at $2,25@2,26½ for Western. Wheat dull and nominally 2@3c lower, with small sales of Old Winter Red Western, at $2,57. Rye quiet; Western 95c. Barley and Barley Malt dull and nominal. Corn dull and rather easier, at 83@85c for unsound; 85@87½c for sound Mixed Western in store and delivered, and 7c for damaged. Oats quiet, at 43@45c for New Western, and 57@60c for Old do. Coffee dull, and nominally unchanged. Sugar steady, at 10½@12c. Molasses firm; Porto Rico 70c. Petroleum dull; 25c for Crude; 40@41c for Refined in bond. Pork opened heavy and lower, but closed firm; $27@27,37½ for new mess, closing at $27,25 for regular, $26@26,25 for old do, and $21 for prime; also 3,850 bbls new mess for May, June and July, sellers' and buyers' option, at $27@27,50. Beef steady at $16@20,50 for new plain mess, and $21@24,50 for new extra mess. Beef hams firmer, at 40@42c. Cut meats quiet and steady, at 11@12c for shoulders and 15@17½c for hams. Bacon held firmer and quiet. Lard dull and heavy, at 17½@21c. Butter quiet, at 25@45c for Ohio, and 40@60 for State. Cheese dull, at 15@22c.

Boston Fish Market.

BOSTON, April 28.—The market for Codfish is a shade firmer with increased activity, and continued uncertainty as to the peaceful and favorable solution of the eastern fishery question. All kinds are in better demand, and the stocks of shipping grades are much reduced.

Sales of Grand Bank and Bay Fundy at $4@6,50 per qtl for medium and large, including English and Frenchsmall, $2,50@$3 per qtl. New Georges are plenty, and selling in large lots at $5,75@$6 per qtl. Hake are scarce and nearly nominal at $2,50@2,75 loose, and $3,25@3,50 packed. Pollock are selling at $2@2,50 loose, and $2,75@3 per qtl, packed.

Mackerel are getting to be scarce, with receipts from the Provinces shut off; stocks are in very few hands; and, with an increased demand from the trade, prices are higher and tending up. Sales of No. 1 at $17@17,50 for Nova Scotia and Bay, $21@23 for Shore; $15,50@16 for No 2, and $14,50@15 for No. 3. Alewives are scarce and firm at $7,75@8 per bbl. Pickled herring are dull at $7@8,50 per bbl for common and Labrador. Smoked herring are selling at 60@80c per box for No. 1 and scaled. Salmon are nominal, but held firmly at $31@32 per tierce.

Financial Matters in New York.

NEW YORK, April 30—Gold closed up steadily at 126⅝@126¾.

The Sub-Treasury here will commence paying interest on 5-20 bonds to-morrow.

The market for exchange is quiet, and bankers bills are quoted at 108¾@109¼.

The stock market was firm at the second regular board, and at the last open board there was an upward movement in prices. The ease in money is too great to admit of any permanent decline in values at present, and every falling off in prices is very soon after succeeded by a rally. Petroleum and Gold stocks dull. Sales: Ivanhoe, 230; Rynd Farm, 30; Snake River, 70; United States, 880. Mining Stocks—Consolidated Grey Gold, 166, Ada Elmore, 305; Quartz Hill, 440; Smith and Parmlee, 900; Virginia City, 45; Conakt, 50.

At the four o'clock open Board, the following were the principal sales: Spruce Hill, 58¾; Western Union Telegraph, 57⅜; Erie, 73⅝; New York Central, 92⅝; Chicago and North Western preferred, 58; Reading, 106; Michigan Southern, 78⅜; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago, 98½; Cleveland and Pittsburgh, 80⅞. Foreign Exchange firm; Commercial Bills are selling at 107⅜@108; bankers, 108⅜@108⅞ sight at 109¾@109⅞; francs at 518¾@520.

Cleveland Market.

CLEVELAND, April 28—Wheat — The feeling is pretty general that the market for spring has reached the top for the present, and buyers were not anxious to purchase to any extent; the market closed without change but weaker. High grades of winter are firm. Sales 3 cars No. 1 Milwaukee spring at $1,90; 3000 bu amber Michigan at $2,80. Corn—Quiet and irregular. Sales 2 cars No. 1 shelled at 60c; 2 do do, at 62c. Oats—Moderate demand and irregular. Sales 1 car and 700 bu at 45c; 2 cars at 48c. Rye—Dull and nominal. Barley—No sales.

New York Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, April 30.—The advance in Cotton to-day has steadied the Dry Goods market very considerably, and a fair trade is doing at last week's prices.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, MONDAY, April 30, 1866.

The produce markets were remarkably quiet to-day, being almost entirely devoid of excitement, and the decline in gold and slight reaction in the west, appear to have checked somewhat the speculative mania which was just beginning to show itself. In prices, however, there have been no changes worthy of special notice.

GRAIN—Wheat is firm but unchanged; sale of 1 car Minnesota spring at $2, to arrive. Oats firm and in light supply—60c on track for prime Penna, and 65 from store. Sale of 1 car Shelled Western, to arrive, at 57. Sale of 1 car Shelled Corn at 75; and 100 bush Spring and Fall Barley, mixed, at 90. No sales of Rye reported.

FLOUR—Is firm, and prices are well sustained, but the market is quiet, and the demand is less active. We continue to quote from store at 10@10½ for Spring Wheat; $10½@11 for half Spring and half Winter; and $11½@12 for Winter Wheat brands.

PROVISIONS—Bacon is firm but there is no material improvement in the demand—shoulders may be quoted at 13½@14; Ribbed Sides, 16@16½; Plain Sugar Cured Hams, 21@21½, and Canvassed do at 22½. Mess Pork is firm but the demand is limited; small sales at $28½@29. Lard is firm at 21, and Dried Beef may be quoted at 24@24½.

POTATOES—There is a continued fair demand, and while the market is apparently steady, prices have undergone no quotable change. We now quote in a regular way from store at $1,00@1,10 per bush, and $3,00 to $3,25 per bbl.

BUTTER—Is coming in more freely, but the demand seems to keep up with the supply and prices are still sustained—good to strictly prime Roll selling at 40 to 45.

EGGS—Continue very dull and the receipts continue liberal. We give 17 to 18 cents as the regular rates, though we heard of a sale of 10 bbls at 15.

HAY—Loose Hay is selling from scales at $22 to $26 per ton, as to quality, and Baled may be quoted at $20@22.

SEEDS—Clover Seed is selling in small lots at $5½, and Flaxseed is in demand at $2½. No Timothy in market.

SORGHUM—Is dull—sales at 60 to 65.

SALT—Dull and nominally unchanged.

PIG LEAD—Is quoted at 9½.

PITTSBURGH PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, MONDAY, April 30, 1866.

CRUDE—The market for Crude was again active to-day, the reported sales in the aggregate, reaching eight thousand four-hundred and fifty barrels, and with a continued good demand and firmer feeling on the part of holders, prices, in some cases, ruled a shade higher than on Saturday. We continue to quote at 13@13½, bbls returned, on the spot; and 19, bbls included, while for future delivery, we have a sale reported at 14. Sales of 1500 bbls, in bulk, at 13½; 200, bbls returned, at 13; 100 do at 13; 600 at 13½; 600 at 13½; 350 at 13½; 232 at 13½; 650 at 13½; 100 at 13½, 700 at 13½; 1000 to be delivered between the 12th and 30th of May, at 14; 500 at 19, pkgs included, f. o. b., and 100 at 19, f. o. b. From the sales above reported, it will be seen that the market was active, and notwithstanding the arrivals continue large prices are firm and well sustained.

REFINED—There is no falling off in the demand for bonded oil, even at the late advance, but refiners do not seem disposed to sell, entertaining hopes, that by holding off, exporters, finding they can do no better, will be compelled to advance their figures. We were unable to hear of a single sale, either for present or future delivery, notwithstanding there was considerable inquiry at an advance of fully one cent per gallon, as compared with the rates current a few days. Quotations for Philadelphia deliveries may be fairly given as follows: 40½ to 41 for May; 42½@43 for June; 44 for July; 45 for August, and 46 for September. Free Oil is dull and unchanged.

ARRIVALS—The arrivals of oil by the Allegheny river since our last report, were as follows:

H. McKelvy	252	Mawhinney & Co.	280
T. McMichael	500	Vandergrift & Co.	3300
Jas. Wilkins	1459	Fisher & Bro.	355
W. P. Logan	1253	T. Stockdale	300
J. Gallagher	1500	B. Dushnell	2300
Baxter & Co.	1000	Dilworth & Bro.	3000
Miller & Edwards	1602		
Total			24,468

Cincinnati Market

CINCINNATI, April 30, P. M.—Flour quiet, superfine $8,25@8,75; extra $9,25@10,00, and family $10,50@12. Wheat unchanged. Corn less firm, 55c for mixed on elevator and 6c in sacks are best rates obtainable. Oats steady; 45@46 for No. 2 and 1. Whisky unchanged, in bond 2,23. Rye 85. Provisions dull, buyers withdrawn from market. Potatoes dull and lower, sales of prime at $2,40 per barrel on arrival, supply is in excess of demand. Butter less firm, prime 48@50. Eggs 19. Linseed Oil $1,50. Petroleum 52@55 for refined. Cotton, prime middling 27@28, but market is still unsettled. Gold 125¾.

Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, April 30.—Flour steady and unchanged. Wheat firmer, at $1,52 for No. 1, and $1,05@1,06 for No. 2. Corn active and advanced ¼@1c; sales 50@51¼c for No. 1, and 45@46½ for No. 2. Oats dull at 31@31½. High Wines inactive. Provisions quiet; $25 asked for Mess Pork, and $27,25 offered. Freights quiet; 8c on corn to Buffalo. Receipts: 7000 bbls flour; 13,000 bush wheat; 208,000 bush corn. Shipments 3700 bbls flour; 24,000 bush wheat, and 78,000 bush of corn.

Potatoes in Cincinnati

CINCINNATI, April 28.—The receipts are not so large, and the supply is considerably in excess of the demand, and prices are lower and irregular. The best descriptions of Northern sold at $2,50 per bbl, on arrival, and some lots of western sold were obtained as low as $2. From store 25c higher than the sales quoted above is charged. The receipts for the week foot up 27,750 bbls, and since September 1, 147,000 barrels, against 203,504 bbls for the same time last year.

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, April 30.—Flour moderately active at $7,25@7,75 for Single Extra, $8,50@9,50 for Double Extra, and $12,25@13 for Choice. Wheat stiff, $1,92½ for Strictly Prime, and $2,75 for Choice. Corn lower, at 63@65c. Oats declined to 43@46c. Pork steady at $28,50. Bacon—Clear Sides advanced to 17½c, canvassed Sugar Cured Hams 22c. Lard firm and unchanged.

Toledo Market.

TOLEDO, April 30.—Flour quiet and firm. Wheat irregular, new amber 6c better, new white 6c lower; sales of old amber at $2.50; new white $2.40; new amber $2.25. Corn firmer and ½c better, at 58@59c for No. 1 mixed; 59½c for do. yellow; 60c for do. white. Oats very firm; held at 48c for No. 1.

New York Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, April 30.—The Bank statement is unexpectedly favorable to continued ease in money. The statement shows an increase of $5,985,286 in deposits, and nearly $3,000,000 in legal tenders, and an increase of $2,360,629 in loans, which is gratifying, as indicating an increased activity in business.

Baltimore Market.

BALTIMORE, April 30.—Flour steady; Western up, at $9@9,25. Wheat firm and inactive; White $7@8c; Yellow dull, at 85c. Oats dull. Produce quiet but firm. Sugar dull; stock fair. Whisky dull, at $2,25 for Western.

Philadelphia Live Stock Market.

PHILADELPHIA, April 30.—Cattle moderately active at former rates. Beeves receipts 1,600 head; sales of fair to good at 14@15. Cows unchanged. Sheep in fair demand. Hogs very dull.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R. April 30.—22 sks scraps, Wm Flacus; 1 bbl eggs Little, Baird & Patton; 8 bdls iron, Martin, Oliver & co; 2 bbls eggs, J Coblanz; 111 boxes soap, J S Dilworth & co; 110 do do, Meaner & Harper; 100 bbls flour, Shomaker & Lang; 14 bxs cheese, R Dalzell; 10 bxs glassware, Robt C Schmertz; 185 sks barley, Spencer & McKay; 44 bbls potatoes, H Rea jr; 100 bbls flour, Watt & Wilson; 160 sks wheat, J S Liggett & co; 2 cars rye, W J Meek; 125 bbls potatoes, E H Myers & co; 3 hhds tobacco, M Heyl; 16 bxs soap, R Robinson & co; 1 bbl eggs, H M Lytle; 1 car metal, Nimick & co; 260 blooms iron, J J Rogers; 200 bags barley, J Rhodes & co; 1 pkg butter, Blair & Woods; 3 bbls eggs, T C Jenkins; 100 bbls flour, Seghmyer & Voskamp; 21 pcs hams, Sellers & co; 40 bdls broom handles, McElroy & co; 129 bbls apples, L H Voigt & co; 2 car staves J J Kalya.

PITTSBURGH, COLUMBUS AND CINCINNATI R. R. April 30.—100 bbls flour, E H Myers; 140 do potatoes, J. H Voigt & co; 111 do House & Bro; 43 bbls flour, Stewart & Langenheim; 1 car corn, W W Herron & co; 15 bush oats, H Rea jr; 120 bbls potatoes, P S Weaver; 15 bushels oats, McBane & Anjer; 2 cars lumber, Hill & co; 1 car corn, J & W Fairley; 1 car wheat, Hitchcock, McCreery & co, 1 do do, A Taylor; 1 do do, R T Kennedy & Bro; 1 do do, J S Liggett & co; 1 bx bacon, 2 bbls lard, C C Balsley; 32 sacks oats, Henderson & Lang; 55 do do, Sturgeon & Bro; 1 car middlings, Keil & Ritchart; 1 do corn, R Knox & Son; 100 bbls flour, Newcomer, Goe & co; 100 do do, Shomaker & Lang; 332 bu wheat, R T Kennedy; 534 bush oats, W D Patterson, 6 bbls flour, L H Voigt & co; 63 sacks rags, C P Markle.

CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH RAIL ROAD—April 30.—20 tons pig iron, Bryan & Caughey, 2 cars iron ore, Jones & Laughlin; 2 do do, Zug & co; 15 cases matches, Shriver & Lazear; 25 bxs starch, Little, Baird Patton; 10 do do, Miller & Ricketson; 75 do do, J D Dravo; 10 do do, J Porterfield; 25 do do, E Euben; 20 do do, E H Myers; 8 cks pearls, Bryce, Walker & co; 238 sks potatoes, Potter, Aiken & Shepard; 100 do do, T C Jenkins; 100 bbls do, L H Voigt & co; 100 do flour, Knox & McKee; 1 cask bacon, T Newlin; 6 tubs butter, T C Jenkins; 6 barrels eggs, Potter, Aiken & Shepard; 13 bxs cheese, A & J Kerr.

ALLEGHENY STATION, April 30.—200 bbls flour 1 car wheat, 1 do oats, R Knox & Son; 700 bush oats, Stewart & co; 214 bgs barley, G Beidle & co; 5 cars wheat, 1 car rye, Kennedy & Bro; 1 car staves, C Lutz; 10 bbls dry apples, 1 do peaches Hahn & Riddle; 2 kgs butter and eggs, John Heibert; 152 bdls paper, Pitts Paper Co; 12 hides, Lappie & co.

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

ZANESVILLE—PER EMMA GRAHAM—Clark & co, 4 bbls oil, 11 do eggs, 1 hhd tobacco, 20 bxs tobacco, 2 sks wool, 1 tub butter, David Bly, 53 bbls oil; W F Wilkinson, 50 bbls oil; Brewer & Burke, 26 bbls oil; Fetzer & Armstrong, 11 bbls eggs, 4 tubs do, 1 box do, 1 do dry peaches, 2 bbls sorghum; J S Dilworth & do, 2 do do, 3 do eggs, J & W Fairley, 45 bales hay; John Daub, 14 tubs cheese; B. A Fahnestock's Son & co, 4 casks zinc; Graff & Reiter, 7 bbls eggs, T C Jenkins, 1 bbl eggs, 1 tub butter, Means & Coffin, 1 bbl molasses, 2 do eggs; J B Canfield, 3 bbls molasses; Lemon & Weise, 7 doz chairs; Fred Denny, 3 bbls eggs; Head & Metzgar, 4 bbls eggs.

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FOR SALE BY
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RIVER NEWS.

ARRIVALS.

Leni Leoti	Hamilton	Parkersburg
Peerless	Russell	Oil City
Leclaire	Kelly	Oil City

DEPARTURES.

Bayard	Moore	Parkersburg
Petrolia	Colby	Oil City
Belle	Loughrey	Oil City

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY.

Emma No. 3	Marratta	St. Louis
Emma Gr'h'm	Stull	Zanesville

RIVER, WEATHER, ETC.

The river continues to recede at this point, though there is, as yet, an abundance of water for all navigable purposes, about eight feet in the channel according to the Allegheny marks. The weather continues clear and pleasant, and very favorable for business at the landing.

There has not been a single transient arrival since our last report, and the Bayard, for Zanesville, was the only departure for below. The Leni Leoti, from the same point, may be expected in this morning, and the Pine Grove, from Cincinnati, ought to reach here to-morrow night, having left there on Saturday evening.

The Kate Robinson arrived at St. Louis on Saturday as did also the Citizen at Cincinnati en route for Pittsburgh. The last named boat has two barges in tow, one loaded with empty oil barrels, and the other with sand; also, one thousand barrels of St. Louis flour for Messrs Shomaker & Lang, of this city.

The Argonaut was advertised to leave Cincinnati for Pittsburgh on Monday, and the Glasgow was announced to follow on Tuesday.

The Petrolia and Belle cleared for Oil City last evening with moderate trips. The Allegheny River trade continues dull, and what is worse still, there is but little prospect at present of any immediate improvement. There are evidently too many boats in the trade for all the business that is offering, and their owners, we are of the opinion, would not feel sorry to see them go into summer quarters.

The Emma No. 3, Capt. James H. Marratta, will positively leave at noon to-day for St. Louis, and those interested should bear this fact in mind. She has excellent accommodations for passengers, and is in charge of gentlemanly and experienced officers. Mr. John Eakin is the clerk.

The Emma Graham, Capt. C. R. Stull, is the regular packet for Zanesville to-day, leaving at 4 p. m. Messrs Hoge and McCadden are associated together in the office.

The Nora, Capt. H. H. Devinney, is filling up rapidly for Cincinnati and Louisville, and will be ready to take her departure to-morrow evening.

The Messenger, Capt. Jesse Dean, is announced for New Orleans forthwith.

Capt. Evans, of the Westmoreland, left Cincinnati for Pittsburgh on Friday evening. The Westmoreland has but recently arrived there from New Orleans, and we presume, Capt. Evans comes home to see his family.

The Wheeling *Intelligencer*, of the 27th inst., says:

THE NEW STEAMER HUDSON.—The new steamer Hudson, now receiving her finishing touches at our wharf, will be as fine a sternwheeler as was ever built in this city. She is a large, commodious, handsomely constructed craft, and reflects great credit upon her "pioneers," so to speak. Steam will be raised upon her on Saturday, one week from which she will make her trial trip. She is intended for the Wheeling and Cincinnati trade, and will be hurricane-decked by Captain Russell, with Capt. Wm. List in the office.

BIG SHIPMENT OF HAY.—The Louisville towboat, T. D. Horner, is due from Aurora, Ind., with a heavy tow of hay, some 16,000 tons, all purchased in this market for New Orleans. This is equal to 96,000 bales—the heaviest shipment ever made by any one house at any one time.—*Louisville Courier*, 28th.

AUCTION SALES.

HALF ACRE LOTS AT AUCTION.—On SATURDAY AFTERNOON, May 5th, 1866, at 3 o'clock, on the premises, on Soho Run, fronting on the Penna Avenue and adjacent to toll gate, will be sold 5 lots of ground, containing each half acre. Also, one lot on the Avenue adjoining the Seventh Ward, having a front of 150 feet, by 54 feet in depth. The above half acre lots would be particularly suitable for manufacturing purposes. For particulars call on Esquire Reed, adjoining the premises. Terms one-third cash; balance in one and two years, with interest, secured by bond and mortgage. T. A. McCLELLAND, Auct.

VALUABLE LIBERTY STREET PROPERTY AT AUCTION.—On TUESDAY AFTERNOON, May 8th, at 3 o'clock, will be sold on the premises, on Liberty street, commencing 50 feet from corner of O'Hara, having a front on Liberty street of 60 feet, extending back 160 feet to Spring alley; on the rear of said lot is erected a two story Brick Dwelling House; said lot is at present occupied as a coal yard. The special attention of our readers is called to this property, being immediately opposite Pa. R. R. Depot, would be suitable for hotel or mercantile houses. Terms, one-third cash; balance in one and two years, with interest, secured by bond and mortgage.
my1 T. A. McCLELLAND, Auct.

FURNITURE, CARPETS, MIRRORS, &c., AT AUCTION.—On THURSDAY MORNING, at 10 o'clock, at Masonic Hall Auction House, 55 and 57 Fifth street, will be sold a quantity of well kept Furniture, comprising marble top dressing and plain bureaus, wardrobes, bookcases, enclosed wash stands, marble top tables, dining, breakfast, card and hall tables, bedsteads, cribs, lounges, husk, cotton, hair and spring mattrasses, pillows, Marsailles bed quilts, 3 elegant gilt frame mirrors, sofa seat parlor chairs, cane seat dining room and chamber chairs, new Venetian blinds, fancy window shades, carpets, matting, queensware, &c. Also, 1,000 yards new carpets will be sold in quantities to suit purchasers.
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FOR SALE—A desirable three-story Brick Dwelling, having hot and cold water and gas in first and second stories, on River avenue, near Anderson street, Allegheny City.
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FARM FOR SALE—known as the St. Clair Farm, containing 176 acres, about 100 of which are cleared; situate in Indiana county, 4 miles from the County Seat. The improvements consist of a LARGE LOG DWELLING HOUSE, Double Bank Barn, Spring House, &c. There is a 7 foot vein of good Coal on the farm; also, a fine Mill Seat. Terms easy. Inquire of
J. Y. McLAUGHLIN & CO.,
No. 325 Liberty street, Pittsburgh,
Or of WM. SHIELDS, in the vicinity. ap25:lmd

FARM FOR SALE—Containing 118 acres, situate in St. Clair township, Westmoreland county, two (2) miles from New Florence. The improvements consist of a FRAME DWELLING HOUSE of 1½ stories, 32 feet front, by 20 deep, containing five rooms and a good cellar. Also, a good Frame Barn and a young Orchard containing 75 choice trees. Inquire of
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A LARGE ASSORTMENT
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MEETINGS.

ELECTION NOTICE.—The Annual Election for Directors of the BIRMINGHAM GAS COMPANY Will be held at the office of the Company, on MONDAY, MAY 7th, between the hours of two and four o'clock P. M. By order
ap28:10td D. ROBINSON, Secretary.

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TRAVELERS' GUIDE.

Arrival and Departure of Trains.

Pennsylvania Central Railroad.

Departs.		Arrives.	
Day Express	2:20 a m	Mail	1:50 a m
Altoona Accom'n	7:50 a m	Fast Line	2:40 a m
Cincinnati Exp's	9:50 a m	1st Wall Accom'n	6:20 a m
Mail	11:40 a m	Penn Ac'n No 1	7:50 a m
Phil's Express	4:15 p m	2d Wall Accom	8:50 a m
Johnstown Ac'n	2:50 p m	Johnst'n Accom	9:50 a m
Fast Line	10:00 p m	Pitt&Erie Mail	12:35 p m
1st Wall Accom	6:20 a m	Baltimore Exp's	1:50 p m
2d "	11:50 a m	3d Wall Accom	2:20 p m
3d "	4:50 p m	Phil's Express	2:05 p m
4th Wall's Ac'n	6:05 p m	Wall's Ac'n No 4	7:00 p m
Penn Ac'n No 1	6:50 p m	Altoona Accom	
		& Emigt Train	10:50 p m

The church train leaves Walls' Station every Sunday at 9:15 a m; returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 12:50 p. m.

Pittsburgh, Columbus and Cincinnati.

Departs.		Arrives.	
Fast Line	2:50 a m	Fast Line	9:00 a m
Mail	8:20 a m	Mail	3:50 p m
Express	2:20 p m	Express	1:10 a m
Steubenville Accommodation	4:15 p m	Steubenville Accommodation	10:10 a m

Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne and Chicago.

Departs.		Arrives.	
Express	a m	Express	2:02 a m
Express	58 p m	Express	9:13 p m
Express	2:58 p m	Express	3:22 p m
Mail	7:13 a m	Mail	6:13 p m
Wheeling Expr's	5:18 p m		

New Brighton Accommodation leaves Allegheny depot at 9 a. m., 11:50 a. m., 4:20 p. m., and 5:40 p. m., Rochester, 2:15 p. m.; New Castle, 3:50 p. m.; Economy, 10:30 p. m.; Wellsville, 3:50 p. m.

Pittsburgh, Cleveland and Wheeling.

Departs.		Arrives.	
Express	2:23 a m	Express	3:58 p m
Express	2:00 p m	Express	9:13 p m
Mail	6:23 a m	Express	2:28 a m

Steubenville Accommodation leaves Allegheny at 5 p. m.

Pittsburgh and Connellsville.

Departs.		Arrives.	
Mail	7:30 a m	Mail	6:00 p m
Express	3:00 p m	Express	10:00 a m
W. Newton Ac'n	6:15 p m	W. Newton Ac'n	8:30 a m
1st McKeesport	11:00 a m	1st McKeesport	6:50 a m
2d "	10:00 a m	2d	2:05 p m
Braddock's Ac'n	4:10 p m	Braddock's Ac'n	5:45 p m
Church Train	1:00 p m	Church Train	10:00 a m

Allegheny Valley Railroad.

Departs.		Arrives.	
Mail	6:45 a m	Express	11:00 a m
Express	5:10 p m	Mail	3:10 p m
Accommodation	5:10 p m	Accommodation	00 a m

Pittsburgh and Erie Railroad, to Oil City and Franklin.

Arrives.		Departs.	
No. 43 Express	7:48 p m	No. 27 Express	8:53 a m

Via. Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago, and Beaver Valley.

Brownsville Boat—Grant and Water Sts.

Arrives.		Departs.	
m	4:00 p m	6:09 a m	6:00 p m

Harmony Stage, St. Clair St.

Arrives.	Departs.
5½ p. m.	6:00 a. m.

Butler Stage—No. 3 St. Clair Street.

Arrives.	Departs.
5½ p. m.	6:00 a. m.

Washington Stage—Hare's Hotel

Arrives.	Departs.
2½ p. m.	6:00 a. m

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